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LAURIER RECORD SPEAKS FOR ITSELF

SIR WILFRID'S ONLY
VALEDICTORY TO-DAY

Best Government Canada Ever
Had Resigns Office—Mr.
Borden Summoned

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—The Laurier ministry has resigned and Premier-elect Borden has accepted the call of His Excellency to form a cabinet.

The resignation of the Liberal government, which came into power July 11, 1896, took place at Rideau hall at 3 o'clock to-day, following a cabinet sitting which lasted until 1:30 p. m.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier conferred with Earl Grey for only a short period, after which the governor-general sent a messenger to the residence of the incoming premier and asked him to undertake the task of forming a new government.

Mr. Borden, of course, accepted and requested a few days in which to complete the selection of his ministry. It is announced, semi-officially that the personnel of the Borden cabinet will be published on Monday, though it may come before that.

The ministers step out declaring that they are proud of the record of the administration and have nothing to apologize for or condemn. Personally they welcome the relief from the burden of ministerial responsibility and the prospect of some leisure after many years of hard work and worry.

Sir Wilfrid's only valedictory statement is this: "Our record spoke for itself."

The cabinet council sat yesterday from 3 o'clock till 7 and from 8:30 till 10:30 p. m. When it broke up the ministers stated that there would be another meeting at 11 o'clock this morning. That was the final meeting.

There is said to be trouble between the retiring ministers and Chairman Shortt, of the Civil Service Commission, who declines to give the secretaries of ministers the status in the civil service which has always in the past been accorded to them. He insists that they must pass examinations.

BANQUET FOR ROGERS.
Liberal Conservatives Make Him Offer of That Seat.

Winnipeg, Oct. 6.—Hon. Robert Rogers was yesterday the guest of a complimentary luncheon by nearly a hundred Conservatives of his constituency. Who came as a delegation to Winnipeg to ask Mr. Rogers to represent that constituency in the federal house. W. H. Sharpe, the member recently re-elected, to take Mr. Rogers' seat for Manitoba in the Manitoba provincial parliament.

Mr. Sharpe declared his acquiescence in the proposal, stating that he was willing to make way for Mr. Rogers.

Mr. Rogers, however, stated that he could not at that moment give a decided answer, stating that he had been proffered three or four constituencies by members willing to retire in his favor.

BALLOON CONTEST.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 6.—All of the nine balloons which went up from yesterday in the Bennett cup, Lahm cup and altitude contests, save one, were still in the air at 9 o'clock this morning, according to information at the headquarters of the Aero Club here.

The America II, landed near Emmetsburg, Ia., at 1:30 this morning after weathering a severe storm. Its pilot and aide, Assman and Hilbert, were painfully bruised when the bag came down amid telephone wires. All the other balloons are believed to be sailing northward over Minnesota. None of them have been sighted since passing Larkin, Mo., near the Iowa line, at 8:30 last night. 25 miles from Kansas City.

Assman said he and his companion had been through a most thrilling experience. Early last night they encountered a rain-storm, and ascending into higher altitudes ran into a fierce snowstorm and in around by the wind to such an extent that they considered it dangerous to attempt to remain up any longer and decided to land. In the darkness they could not see the telephone lines below them, and before they knew what had happened the balloon was entangled. Assman and Hilbert expected to return to St. Louis to-night.

DRINK WAS THE CAUSE.

Port Arthur, Ont., Oct. 6.—Charles Johnson, a Finn, entered the office of the Finnish newspaper yesterday afternoon and in the presence of Editor Hall whipped out a revolver, sending a bullet into his stomach, from the effects of which he died in a few minutes. He was 39 years old and had been drinking heavily.

LOST IN MOUNT SHASTA.

Sisson, Cal., Oct. 6.—At the bottom of the narrow box canyon on the east slope of Mount Shasta, the bodies of Harry Mapes and Herbert Barr, two well known boys, who were lost in a snowstorm a week ago, were found yesterday by Matt Kolen, a veteran mountain guide.

FISHING TUG FOUNDERS.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Oct. 6.—A report reached here to-day that the fishing tug South Shore, of the Endress fleet, had been lost off Whitefish Point during Wednesday's gale.

FUEL SITUATION A LITTLE EASIER

SASKATCHEWAN USERS
PREPARING FOR WINTER

Prompt Action of Scott Government in Warning People Has Effect

Winnipeg, Oct. 6.—The removal of the duty on coal from the south, ordered by the Dominion government about two months ago, and the foresight of electric bodies in making contracts for a definite supply, has somewhat eased the coal famine situation in Saskatchewan.

This is the gist of the numerous reports received to-night from the correspondents of the Western Associated Press in Saskatchewan, each of whom were wired as to the available supply and future needs of their districts. The early warnings of the government officials at Regina led many of the largest coal consumers in the province to make immediate arrangements for their winter supply, and coal dealers to enter into contracts for supplies large enough for their needs.

All points report a fair movement of fuel from the head of the lakes, while Saskatchewan and northwestern towns are also relying on a further supply from Edmonton. The southern Saskatchewan towns are looking to Estevan and Souris and mining centres below the international boundary.

At the meeting of the Winnipeg Board of Trade yesterday Rev. Dr. Jordan, erstwhile chairman of the conciliation committee, appointed to conduct an inquiry into the mining situation in Alberta and British Columbia, told the board that there was no hope of a satisfactory settlement of the difficulties until after the annual meeting next month, and the board passed a resolution suggesting the appointment of a permanent conciliation board.

RESCUER LOSES LIFE.

Two Boys Drowned in River at Bellingham.

Bellingham, Wash., Oct. 6.—John Rainey, formerly a Seattle Broadway High school athlete, sank to his death in the Nooksack river yesterday, dragging down with him his friend, Fred Standheart, who leaped from the bank to his rescue when Rainey cried out for help. The body of Standheart has been recovered. Fishermen are still dragging the river in the hope of finding Rainey's body.

Rainey was making an attempt to fulfill a wager by swimming three times back and forth across the Nooksack. He was still completing the sixth passage of the river when he began to struggle, threw up his arms and went down. Standheart leaped in and caught him and was making his way to shore with his burden when Rainey seized his legs and both disappeared from view. Both boys were about 19 years of age.

WALK IN AND OUT AGAIN.

Alameda, Cal., Oct. 6.—Promptly at 7 o'clock this morning, five minutes after they had filed through the gates for the day's work, 250 men employed at the Taylor & Company lumber yards laid down their tools and walked out on a strike, demanding by the building trades council of Oakland. Employees of the Hogan Lumber Company walked out with the strikers from the Taylor yard. The direct cause of the strike in the Taylor yard was the alleged refusal of the company to discharge a non-union saw filer who was recently employed. The trade council requested the discharge of the non-union worker and when it was denied by the lumber company and the employee still retained, the union men were called out. Of the men who struck, 200 are millmen and the remainder longshoremen, tally-men, teamsters and glaziers.

**DR. CLARK SECURES
A RECORD MAJORITY**

Has 2,652 Over Opponent in
Red Deer—Recount in
Three Rivers

Calgary, Alb., Oct. 6.—The official declaration in Red Deer shows that Dr. Michael Clark has a record majority. The figures are: Clark, Liberal, 6,509; McGilivray, Conservative, 3,857; majority, 2,652. Dr. Warnock, Liberal, has a majority over John Herron, the former Conservative member, of 819.

Three Rivers, Que., Oct. 6.—The judicial election, recount, concluded yesterday gives Hon. Jacques Bureau a majority of 9 over Mayor Normand. There were numerous evidences of minor irregularities. The chief of these was at St. Barnabe poll, where the 116 ballots cast were marked with pen and ink instead of pencil. All these were set aside by Judge Tourigny. The election is to be contested.

STREET CAR STRIKE.

Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 6.—Des Moines street car men, numbering nearly 500, voted to-day to go on strike unless three members of the union recently discharged are reinstated by the company at 5 o'clock. The city railway company officials say they will not reinstate the men.

BAD FIRE IN LEICESTER.

Leicester, Eng., Oct. 6.—St. George's church and three large hostelry factories were destroyed by fire here last night. The loss is estimated at \$1,250,000.



AND HE WINKED THE OTHER EYE

—The St. Paul Pioneer-Press.

INSURRECTION STILL IS RIFE IN MEXICO

Minor Battle Near Puebla—Indians Killed in Fight With Federal Guards

Mexico City, Oct. 6.—Twenty-five Indians are reported killed in a battle with federal volunteer guards in Chiapas yesterday when Chamulo insurgents tried to cross the Grijalva river in their march upon Tuxtla Gutierrez. Many were drowned.

Another battle was reported from Puebla between Huerta's federal forces and a detachment of Zapatista men in which a few were killed.

In Santa Cruz still another small insurrection has been inaugurated.

BUY CEMENT PLANT.

Bellingham, Wash., Oct. 6.—The Bellingham Cement Company awarded the contract to the Butler Construction Company of Seattle for the immediate erection of the structures which will house the new million-dollar cement plant of the Balfour-Guthrie interests. As large a force of men as is practicable to work begins operations to-day, for the contract calls for the completion of the buildings within forty days.

A spur track from the Bellingham Bay and British Columbia road to the plant was completed to-day.

CASHIER COURTS INQUIRY.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 6.—James C. Douglas, a cashier and bookkeeper, gave himself up to the police here last night, pending grand jury investigation of his case to-day. Douglas' action followed the attempted suicide of Gustave N. Koepfel, manager of the concern which employs Douglas and Koepfel's supposedly diving statement that the firm's accounts were short \$4,200. Koepfel accused Douglas of the shortage.

MISS BARRYMORE'S ILLNESS.

South Bend, Ind., Oct. 6.—The condition of Ethel Barrymore, the actress, who was taken ill suddenly, threatened with peritonitis, was slightly improved to-day, but the physicians said it would be unsafe for several days to move her to a Chicago hospital as was planned. Her husband, Russell G. Colt, New York, arrived here late yesterday.

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DUKE OF CONNAUGHT ON HIS WAY TO CANADA

Sailed With His Suite on Empress of Ireland From Liverpool To-day

London, Oct. 6.—The Duke of Connaught, accompanied by the Duchess sailed on the steamship Empress of Ireland from Liverpool to-day, to assume the office of governor-general of Canada, in which he succeeds Earl Grey.

**FLAG FLOWN TO
DEFY A CALIPH**

**MOROCCO FRENCHMEN
CREATE EXCITEMENT**

Government Disavows Their Act and Germany Expresses Its Satisfaction

Berlin, Oct. 6.—A group of Frenchmen hoisted a French flag over the fort at Agadir, Morocco, threatening grave international complications. It was rumored that France has proclaimed a protectorate and that a French cruiser was en route for Agadir.

The French government immediately disavowed the action and as it is not represented at Agadir, instructed the French consul at Mogador to ask the Moroccan authorities to take measures to remove the flag and end the incident.

According to the latest advices the Frenchmen were defying the local caliph of Agadir, who, on his own responsibility, had ordered the French colors lowered, but it is expected the Frenchmen will yield when they learn that their government has disavowed their action.

The caliph appealed to the commander of a German warship in the harbor, but he refused to interfere. The French flag was planted on an ancient bastion, dominating the town and which the over-zealous French patriots had occupied in the absence of the garrison. They fired a salute and sent word to the Germans to leave Agadir, which they declared had become a French possession.

The incident, according to the dispatches received here, created excitement in southern Morocco, but the German foreign office is satisfied with the counter measures adopted by the French government.

LABOR MEN OBJECT TO LOSS OF DEPARTMENT

Proposal of Incoming Government Would Be Prejudicial to Labor, They Say

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—J. G. O'Donoghue, legal representative of the labor organizations, who is here to-day, says that labor men will oppose the proposal to reduce the status of the department of labor by having it made a subdivision of the department of trade and commerce.

"I believe," he said, "Mr. Borden is too far-sighted a man to make any such move as that, which we believe would be prejudicial to the interests of Canadian labor."

SEVERE EARTHQUAKE.

Disturbance Lasted For Over Forty Minutes—Felt at Hayti.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 6.—An earthquake, estimated to have occurred at a distance of about 2,500 miles from Washington, was recorded this morning at the Georgetown observatory. The disturbance began at 5:21 o'clock and lasted over twenty minutes.

Port au Prince, Hayti, Oct. 6.—A heavy earthquake occurred here at 5:30 o'clock this morning. The movement was from east to west and continued for thirty seconds. The shock was accompanied by subterranean rumblings. No damage was done.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 6.—Earthquake shocks emanating from a point between 2,000 and 3,000 miles distant, direction unknown, were registered by the seismograph at St. Ignace College to-day.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 6.—A severe earthquake lasting 34 minutes was recorded by the seismograph at Brooklyn college to-day. The record began at 5:19 o'clock and continued until 5:53. The maximum disturbance was at 5:32. The movement was east and west. The observers located the shock about 3,000 miles away.

JOCKEY FATALLY INJURED.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 6.—A jockey was probably fatally injured, three women spectators were hurt and three gentlemen riders were thrown from their mounts yesterday at a race meet at the Elkins Park.

In the Collingby steeplechase D. Roberts, riding Meltonwren, was thrown at the first jump and his horse dashed into a crowd of spectators many of them women. Mrs. Susan Sullivan of Morristown, N. J., and Mrs. W. W. Hop and Mrs. Francis Layton of Ashboro, Pa., were injured. Mrs. Sullivan and Roberts were unconscious late last night. Physicians say the woman may recover.

TEN THOUSAND KILLED IN FIGHT

DESPITE HEAVY LOSS
CHINESE REBELS ACTIVE

Natives Homeless and Starving, and Appeal for Assistance is Made

Peking, Oct. 6.—American missionaries at Cheng Tu, recently besieged capital of Sze Chuen province, telegraphed to-day that they estimated that 10,000 persons were killed during the fighting between the insurgents and the government troops. Of the dead 2,000 were soldiers and the others rebels.

Ten thousand rebels are in possession of several cities southwest of Cheng Tu. Soldiers are marching against them to-day.

The Methodists state that as a result of the uprising thousands of natives are homeless and many are becoming desperate. The Methodists appeal for relief funds from America to be distributed under their supervision.

ARCHITECT WINS.

Thomas Hooper Secures Judgment Against Loo Gee Wing.

Vancouver, Oct. 6.—Judgment was handed down by Chief Justice Hunter in Supreme court on Wednesday in the action brought by Thomas Hooper, architect, against Loo Gee Wing, in connection with the plans prepared by the plaintiff for the erection of the Loo block in this city.

Plaintiff sought to recover \$5,400 which he claimed was due him for new work and changes made in the plans. Loo Gee Wing denied liability, alleging that plaintiff did not act under any instructions given by himself, and stating that at the time the work was carried out his wife was owner of the building.

Judgment was rendered for the plaintiff for \$1,535.23 and costs. J. A. Harvey, K. C., appeared for the plaintiff and C. M. Woodworth for the defendant.

BALLOONS LAND.

Austin, Minn., Oct. 6.—The balloons Berlin I, Lieut. Leopold Vogt, pilot, Lieut. Schoeller, aide, landed on the Jacob Bishop farm near Austin at 10 o'clock this morning. The balloon left Kansas City at 5:15 p. m. yesterday.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 6.—The balloon Topeka II, landed at Dunnell, Minn., at 8:20 a. m. to-day. A message from Frank M. Jacobs, pilot of the craft, follows: "Landed here safely at 8:20 a. m. to-day after an exciting night in a thunder and rain-storm."

Lacrosse, Wis., Oct. 6.—The balloon Buckeye, Lieut. Lahm, pilot, has landed east of here.

A BULKY BRIEF.

Salmon, Ore., Oct. 6.—The exhaustive brief of the state of Oregon in the suit of the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph Company to have declared unconstitutional the initiative and referendum law is in the hands of the printer. The brief, which contains approximately 30,000 words, will be forwarded to Washington for filing in the United States Supreme Court within the next few days.

FOUND ROYALISTS QUIET.

Madrid, Oct. 6.—The governor of Pontevedra informs the government that he sent an emissary into Portugal to learn what the royalists were doing. The agent reported that absolute order reigned.

DAMS GIVE WAY AND PEOPLE FLY TO HILLS

Extensive Floods Cause the Weakening of Immense Embankments in Wisconsin

Black River Falls, Wis., Oct. 6.—Telephone advices from Dells Dam, 18 miles up the river, say the dam has gone out and that nothing can save the Hatfield dam. The water at this point is the highest in years, and if the great Hatfield dam is swept away the loss will be great. The panic-stricken people are moving to higher ground.

Hatfield Dam Going.

Lacrosse, Wis., Oct. 6.—Telephone advices just received at the office of the Lacrosse Water Power Company say that the west end of the main dam at Hatfield went out at 10:30.

The dam is a solid concrete structure sixty feet high and 100 feet deep at the base. It was considered strong enough to hold any flood of water which might be turned against it.

Efforts are being made to confine the torrent which has broken through the dam to a canal and thus out of the main river, but it is admitted that the situation is desperate. Relief parties are being hastily organized here to go to the scene by automobiles.

TRIPOLI NOW IN HANDS OF ITALY

GOVERNOR HAS TAKEN
CHARGE OF AFFAIRS

British Steamer Seized by Turkey—Italian Cruiser, Fired on, Sinks an Enemy

Rear-Admiral Boredellino has been made Italian governor of Tripoli following the military occupation of the city by men and guns of the Italian fleet. To-day's advices describe the Arabs of the vicinity as offering submission to the invaders while the Turkish defenders of the garrison have retired to the interior.

News dispatches from Tripoli continue meagre, as the Italians exercise strict censorship. Reports from the frontier indicate that there were more casualties during the bombardment than had been officially confirmed.

The only other development of importance to-day was a statement from Rome that Italy would assume the offensive in the Red sea, attacking the seaports of Yemen if necessary, because the forts of Hodeidah had fired on an Italian cruiser.

Arab Chiefs Submit.

Tripoli, Oct. 6.—The Italians have established a new government for Tripoli. Rear-Admiral Boredellino has been appointed governor. Captain Calvi was made commandant of the forces disembarked by the Italian fleet.

After Italian seamen had landed and occupied Fort Sultana, the chiefs of the Arab tribes adjacent to Tripoli, went aboard the Italian flagship and gave their submission. They begged the Italians not to resume the bombardment.

The German consul, as the senior member of the consular corps also visited the flagship and asked Vice-Admiral Faravilli to assume responsibility for the preservation of public order and the protection of foreign residents in Tripoli, which had been abandoned by the Turkish troops.

The admiral landed another detachment of sailors with guns, including quick-fire pieces and occupied Tripoli in a military sense. This was accomplished without incident and the appointment of a government followed.

The German consul informed Vice-Admiral Faravilli that during the shelling of the town no harm had been done to any European or damage to the property of Europeans.

Europeans All Safe.

Berlin, Oct. 6.—A correspondent of the Wolff Bureau telegraphed from Delhat, on the Tunisian frontier under yesterday's date, saying:

"Six soldiers and six Jews were killed and five soldiers and one Jew wounded during the bombardment of Tripoli."

The Europeans of whom there were still four thousand in Tripoli, were unharmed. The house of the interpreter of the German consulate was badly damaged, but the shells from the Italian fleet did comparatively slight damage in the city. The Moslems remained passive during the bombardment."

Although the Italians landed marines at Tripoli it is understood here that mediation will not be accepted before the city has been occupied by the expedition from Italy. The first ship is due to sail for Tripoli to-morrow.

Germany is endeavoring to restrain Turkey from taking any measures that might lessen the hope of successful mediation and has induced Turkey to withdraw the prohibition against the furnishing of coal for private steamers. This had seriously inconvenienced international shipping.

Fired on Cruiser.

Masowah, Eritrea, Africa, Oct. 6.—The fort at Hodeidah, a seaport of Arabia, fired many shots at the Italian mining cruiser Aretusa, which was cruising in the Red sea to protect Italian commerce. The shots were without effect. The Aretusa replied with her guns.

Rome, Oct. 6.—Provoked because she had been fired upon by the Turkish forts at Hodeidah, the Italian mining cruiser Aretusa attacked a Turkish gunboat and sank her.

Turkey has taken the offensive in the Red sea, where Italy had intended to remain on the defensive. The Aretusa and the dispatch boat Staffetta and repair ship Volcano, all of which are armed and the smaller war craft available, have been ordered to chase the old gunboats that Turkey has in the Red sea and to attack the port of Yemen if necessary.

Turks Seize British Vessel.

Salonica, Oct. 6.—The Turkish battleship Feth-i-Bulend, held up and searched the British steamer Orchis, and finding forty barrels of powder on board, brought the vessel here as a prize of war.

Bulgaria is Neutral.

Constantinople, Oct. 6.—The Bulgarian minister to-day conveyed to the Porte the assurance of the neutrality of Bulgaria and also denied the report of a military mobilization in the kingdom.



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VISIONARY FORTUNES.

American Claimants Make Big Demand on Dutch Treasury.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 6.—A Chicago woman has organized a convention of heirs to claim \$30,000,000 from the treasury of Holland.

The heirs, some 200 in number, have arranged to meet to-day in Rock Island, Ill., to discuss means of establishing their claims.

The Chicago chairman is Mrs. Estelle Maywood Snyder, of Maywood, former president of the Maywood Philanthropic Society.

Mrs. Snyder concluded to organize an association of the Wertz heirs, following a publication of her claims, her data establishing relationship and a recounting of the disposition of the enormous fortune of the famous Dutch general, Paul Wertz, who died in Amsterdam in 1732. A governmental edict in 1822 that confiscated to the crown all unclaimed estates is said to be the barrier to the millions to American claimants. A plan is proposed by Mrs. Snyder whereby a working fund will be accumulated to be spent by the eleven lawyers among the heirs in waiting on the Dutch government to present the claim.

CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

Seattle, Oct. 6.—Salip Ch Amat, a Malay, was arrested here yesterday on a charge of forging the name of R. A. H. a fellow countryman, of San Francisco, to a \$100 postal savings certificate issued by the postal savings bank in San Francisco. So far as known here this is the first arrest in the United States on a charge of attempting to defraud a postal savings bank.



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SUPERIOR STREET

Recent street improvements are making James Bay more and more desirable for residence. Ground values and rents are both advancing. A bargain worth investigating, of a five-roomed cottage, on a corner lot, at the price of

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YOUNG MAN FOUND DEAD IN HIS ROOM

Neil Grant Expires With Gun Shot Wound in Body at Clarence Hotel

Neil Grant, a young man who was suffering from tuberculosis, was found dead in his room at the Clarence hotel yesterday afternoon, apparently having taken his own life by shooting himself through the lower part of the body with a shotgun. He left a letter saying good-bye to his sister, Mrs. Drage, Pandora avenue. The letter read: "Good-bye, sister. You will never speak with your brother again while he is alive. Good-bye."

The young man, who was 23 years of age, took a room at the Clarence hotel, Yates and Douglas streets, Wednesday afternoon, and then appeared to be in his usual state of mind. He had, however, been suffering from ill-health, and this is believed to have preyed upon his mind until, tired of his life, he determined to end his existence.

When he arrived at the hotel he had with him a "kit bag" and a pair of gun boots. He took writing materials to his room and there penned his last message, which was found after his death in the room. He left the hotel yesterday morning, and after returning with a double-barrel shotgun. At two o'clock yesterday afternoon the housekeeper heard a noise like a shot, but attributed it to the bursting of an automobile tire on the street. Shortly afterwards she went to the room to make up the bed and was unable to obtain admittance. A further attempt to awaken the inmate failed, and becoming alarmed, she reported the matter to the hotel office. Constable Smith, who was on duty, and looking through the transom he saw the body lying on the bed. An entrance was obtained into the room and Grant was found to be dead. The body was lying partly clothed and with a large wound in the abdomen.

His desire to end his life is believed to have been made yesterday afternoon for the message, saying good-bye to his sister, which he had written a message to his sister saying he was going away, leaving directions for his effects to be looked after.

Until recently he had been staying with his sister and has been in low spirits, but otherwise appeared well. He made an attempt to borrow a revolver from a friend yesterday morning without success. He came to Victoria from Nanaimo, where he was employed as a time agent. His father is at present employed at Pender Rupert. An inquest is being held this afternoon.

DIVERSIFIED CARGO BROUGHT BY PUEBLA

Steamship Has Fine Trip North From Frisco—Crammed to Hatches With Freight

Coming north with a diversified cargo and an exceptionally large passenger list, the Pacific Coast steamship City of Puebla (Capt. Hannab), arrived in port at midnight last night from San Francisco. The vessel spent six hours here discharging two hundred tons of freight for Victoria merchants and then proceeded to Sound ports. When she arrived here she was filled chock-a-block and not another package of freight could have been stowed beneath her hatches.

As usual the Frisco steamship had a large quantity of fruits and vegetables and a large amount of these foodstuffs was discharged at the outer docks. She also had a consignment of chocolate for the sweet ones; whiskey, ale and beer for the dry ones; boxes of writing paper for the scribes, and alarm clocks for the sound sleepers. While here the Puebla also discharged 2,140 sacks of cement and a big shipment of iron wire for Evans, Coleman & Evans.

Many passengers were brought north by the City of Puebla from the Golden Gate. The Victoria saloon passengers were as follows: Miss A. H. Allen, Miss G. E. Allen, Mildred Buffon, W. W. Buffon, J. H. Chastain, Jas. Epperson, Mrs. J. Gellert, Frank Hall, Mrs. A. H. Hickey, A. B. Kingsley, Mrs. M. Kingsley, Mrs. A. Markham, Phyllis Markham, Fred Morgan and wife, Mrs. T. G. Connell, F. J. Rainey and Jno. Warwick.

MARINE NOTES

The power barkentine Atcher arrived in Seattle Wednesday with a shipment of hay from San Francisco.

With her season's pack aboard the floating cannery Glory of the Seas is being towed to Seattle from Ketchikan by the tug Pioneer.

Coming to Puget Sound for a big shipment of lumber for Australia, the Waterhouse steamer Strathgaird is expected to put in at Port Blakely on Sunday.

Bound for the Orient with heavy shipments of lumber and flour, the steamship Strathgaird of the Waterhouse fleet, sailed from Seattle Wednesday afternoon. The Strathgaird loaded at Portland, Muckilteo, Comox and at Seattle.

A dispatch to the Seattle Merchants' Exchange from San Francisco states that the British ship Wiscombe Park, with cement cargo, bound from London for Vancouver, B. C., is anchored off the Isle of Wight in a damaged condition, as a result of a collision with another vessel.

TEN YEARS IN PRISON

Portland, Ore., Oct. 6.—Steve Poulgada was yesterday sentenced to serve ten years in the federal prison at McNeil's Island for the crime of white slavery. Poulgada was convicted of having taken a 16-year-old girl from Portland to Sacramento for illicit purposes.

PROTEST AGAINST BURNT BLOCK AREA

Mayor Morley Will Move Resolution To-night Instructing Legal Proceedings

The condition of the burnt block on Government street which has been such an eyesore to visitors throughout the past summer, has at length roused the civic authorities, and at the meeting of the city council this evening Mayor Morley will move a resolution on the subject.

The present condition is not only objectionable but at times dangerous to passers-by, as bricks fall on to the sidewalk, particularly on Government street, and accidents have several times been narrowly avoided. Since the carnival fiasco nothing has been done. It is time some action was taken, as the fire is now nearly a year old, October 26 being the anniversary, and the debris situated right in the heart of the downtown section cannot but reflect upon the credit of the community.

The resolution the mayor will move at the meeting to-night will be as follows: "I recommend that the city solicitor be instructed to take such action as he may deem best against the owners of the property on the burnt area, bounded by Government street, Fort street, and Broad street, for leaving this property in such condition as to be a public nuisance."

A number of street improvements under the local improvement by-law will be submitted for consideration, and among other notices Alderman Gleason will move that Stanley avenue, between Fort and Pembroke streets, should be boulevardized on each side, and for the widening of Hillside avenue easterly from Cedar Hill road to the city limits, and permitting the necessary expropriation of property to make the street seventy-five feet wide throughout.

ALICE TOUCHES AT VINCENT FOR COAL

New Princess Reported Arriving There on Tuesday Sailed Again Yesterday

Cablegrams received here yesterday announced that the new C. P. R. steamer Princess Alice, in command of Capt. Lindgren, arrived at St. Vincent, Cape Verde islands, on Tuesday last. After taking on bunker coal she left that port for Montevideo yesterday. When she gets away from the Argentine port she will head for the Straits of Magellan and after passing through into the Pacific will head for Victoria, making calls at Coronel and Callao for fuel.

The Alice sailed from Newcastle-on-Tyne on Friday, September 22, commencing her 15,000-mile journey to this port. Before she left she was well harried in order to withstand the heavy seas and storms which may be encountered on the Atlantic and also the Pacific. If all goes well the new Princess should arrive here towards the end of November. She is equipped with wireless telegraphy, and the United States states in the vicinity of San Francisco will no doubt communicate with her when she is coming up the coast, as they did the Adelaide when she was on her way here.

No further word of the Alice will be received here until she reaches Montevideo. She is making the trip at a speed of between ten and twelve knots.

WIRELESS REPORTS

Oct. 6, 5 a.m.

Point Grey—Passing showers; wind S. E.; light; 28.7; 83; sea smooth. Cape Lazo—Raining; wind S. E.; strong gale; hazy seaward; 28.7; 48; sea rough.

Tatoosh—Light rain; wind S. E.; 25 miles; 28.2; 55; sea smooth. Pachea—Raining; wind S. E.; strong; 28.6; 50; sea smooth.

Estevan—Overcast; misty; raining; wind S. E.; strong gale; 29.4; 51; sea rough.

Triangle—Foggy; rain; wind S. W.; 48 miles; 28.4; 44; sea rough; dense seaward; spoke Quadra at 8 a.m. at Cox Island stormbound.

Ikeda—Raining; wind S. E.; 28.9; 48; heavy swell.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; wind south; light; 29.1; 47; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; wind S. E.; fresh; sea moderate; Lilloet at Skidegate.

Noon.

Point Grey—Raining; wind S. E.; misty seaward; 28.7; 83; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Raining; wind S. E.; moderate gale; hazy seaward; 28.2; 51; sea moderate; spoke Alameda passing through Seymour Narrows at 10 a.m. southbound.

Tatoosh—Light rain; wind N. E.; 25 miles; 28.2; 56; sea moderate; out, steamer Klappan at 8.45 a.m.; steamer St. Helens at 9.45 a.m.; outside bound in steamer Belle of Scotland.

Pachea—Raining; wind S. E.; strong; 28.6; 52; sea rough.

Triangle—Foggy; raining; wind S. W.; 48 miles; 28.6; 47; dense seaward; sea rough; spoke Empress of India at 11 a.m.; position lat. 51.65 north, long. 126.05 west; Quadra stormbound at Cox Island.

Estevan—Foggy; raining; wind S. E.; strong; 29.1; 51; sea rough.

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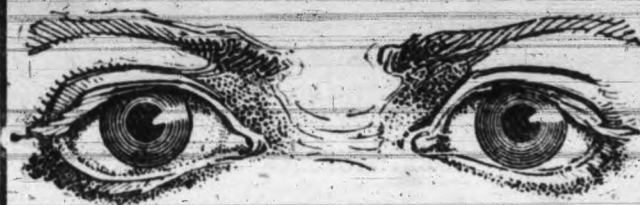
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DAILY MAIL COMMENTS

London, Oct. 6.—The Daily Mail, commenting on the Duke of Connaught's fitness to govern Canada, says: "The Duke is not without knowledge of Canada and there could be no better moment for the reopening of his acquaintance with the Canadian nation than this, when, by an overwhelming vote, she has rejected reciprocity with the United States out of loyalty to the Empire. Standing at the parting of the ways Canada refused possible immediate gain at the price of peril to the Imperial tie, and none will better understand or more admire her act of splendid self-sacrifice than the Duke, who himself refused a foreign throne that he might remain a British Prince. It is also well that in this age of her progress and immense material growth and expansion a member of the royal house should represent the throne in Ottawa."

THE McNAMARA TRIAL

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 6.—Word was received here to-day that W. E. Griffin, chief of police of Kansas City, would be a witness in the trial of the McNamara brothers. Prosecuting officials refused to discuss the summing up of Griffin, but it was learned that Griffin will bring to this city an alarm clock device which is alleged to have been used on bombs planted with the intention of destroying railroad bridges near Kansas City. That these devices are to be brought here indicates that the prosecution will endeavor not only to cover the Times explosion case, but also to bring in evidence concerning other explosions and alleged dynamite outrages for the purpose of proving a wholesale conspiracy.

PASSED COUNTERFEITS

Salt Lake, Utah, Oct. 6.—Walter Watson, a bartender, was arrested late last night at a local store while attempting to pass a \$2 bill which had been raised to \$19. When the proprietor of the store sent for the police, Watson snatched up the bill and fled. When taken to the city jail he attempted to end his life by taking a large quantity of strychnine. The poison was taken from him before he could swallow it. Salt Lake has been flooded with raised \$2 bills for several months.

DEATH OF W. E. CURTIS

Philadelphia, Oct. 6.—William Ellery Curtis, of Washington, traveller, journalist and writer on political topics, died suddenly in his room in a hotel here last night. Mr. Curtis arrived at noon from New York, accompanied by his wife. Last night he was stricken with apoplexy, and although medical assistance was summoned immediately it was impossible to save his life. He was 61 years of age.

PUBLIC WON OUT

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 6.—The entire police force was called out last night to quell a riot which arose over an order issued to the car conductors not to accept tickets detached from books. For two hours the corner was jammed with people who were trying to ride on street cars and pay their fare with detached tickets. More than a dozen arrests were made. The street car company rescinded its order and there were no more disturbances.

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George Barbey Has Holdings
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Along Fraser

Vancouver, Oct. 6.—Before leaving for Europe a few days ago, Mr. George Barbey, a well known French financier, purchased on behalf of a Parisian syndicate a tract of 222 acres, comprising lots 21, 22 and 66 on the north side of the Fraser river, directly opposite Port Mann. The price is withheld, but the figure is said to be several hundred thousand dollars.

It is proposed to establish a town-site. At least \$40,000 will be expended in drainage and sub-division work and lots will be placed on the market through Vancouver agents at an early date. The improvements are now in progress. The area in question has excellent deep water frontage and extends from the asylum farm dyke to within half a mile of Fraser river mills. It will virtually constitute a suburb of New Westminster and will with the extension of the tram line be provided with street car facilities.

Mr. Barbey's investments in British Columbia, principally in Vancouver and Victoria, real estate and water frontage, has amounted to about \$2,000,000 during the past two years.

TRUSTEE APPOINTED FOR UNITED WIRELESS

Affairs of That Corporation
Said to Be in a Bad
Tangle

Seattle, Oct. 6.—Selden Bacon of N.Y. York, trustee in bankruptcy for the United Wireless, is in Seattle to straighten out the Washington end of the tangled affairs of that corporation and to bring order out of the wreck left by George H. Parker, Christopher Columbus Wilson and F. X. Butler.

Mr. Bacon was appointed by the federal court at Portland, Maine. One part of his mission here is to take over the company's property now in the hands of the state receiver. Mr. Bacon was asked last night what there was left in assets for the 39,000 stockholders, who had advanced \$1,000,000 and \$5,000,000 for their stock.

"That is a question which is put to me a dozen times every day by the stockholders," replied Mr. Bacon. "I have received hundreds of letters of enquiry from persons who hold stock in this company who wish to know what there is left out of the wreck. I would only mislead them if I were to put an estimate on the value of the company's property. What we are trying to do right now is to get the property together and to continue the business. The company has wireless stations on more than 450 ships, and has more than fifty land stations. In Seattle there is real estate valued at approximately \$25,000, on which there is a \$15,000 mortgage. There is also some real estate in New Jersey and there are some large claims which remain to be settled.

"The value of the stations depends altogether upon their being kept going. Perhaps the equipment costs \$700,000 to \$800,000 to install, and it may be valued at \$500,000 now, but if the wireless stations go out of business it must be sold for junk. "It is impossible to estimate the value of the business. I will say, however, that during the summer months I believe the stations were operated at a profit. "I do not represent the stockholders in the company any more than I represent the creditors; my official connection is as an officer of the federal court. For that reason it is not part of my duty to advise the stockholders what to do. However, I will say this, the only chance which the stockholders have of preserving what is left is to reorganize and to keep the company in operation. "If they wait until the affairs of the United Wireless are wound up the property must be sold for the benefit of the creditors."

MILLIONAIRE IN CONTEMPT

Seattle, Oct. 6.—Clarence Dayton Hillman, the multi-millionaire real estate dealer, who was recently sentenced to the federal penitentiary after being convicted of using the mails to defraud, has been cited to appear before United States Commissioner William R. Totten to answer a charge of contempt. The exact nature of the evidence against Hillman is not known. The United States attorney's office is seeking to trace the authorship of a great flood of letters that poured in upon the judges of the United States court of appeals when they met in Portland recently to hear Hillman's appeal from the verdict of the court that convicted him. The letters were all favorable to Hillman. Hillman served a twenty-day term in the county jail here for writing letters to the judge, called to try him.

DID OPERATION SUCCEED?

Los Angeles, Oct. 6.—That the young woman who, under the name of Alice Taylor, underwent an operation in Oakland to cure her of kleptomania, and who recently was arrested here on a charge of second degree burglary, will be released upon probation is assured. Her preliminary examination in the police court was set for to-day, but at the request of the district attorney's office a continuance until October 18 was ordered. The prosecutors indicate that they believe it would be a mistake to send the girl to the penitentiary if she were found guilty.

THINKING THEMES BY DR. FRANK CRANE

Of course, I enjoy the rich. No hand but itches to clutch money, that golden Jovian thunderbolt of power, that wand that makes all men and women leap and stare, that Aladdin lamp that brings the ends of the earth running to build your palace and cushion your feet.

But more I envy them that have a great Name. Just a while I would like to have the reputation of Mark Twain, or Lincoln, or Bernard Shaw.

It would be just for the sheer delight of being heard. Whatever I say now sinks into the soft grey of universal inattention. Though I speak with the tongue of angels, though I utter words of exquisite silver, though my sentences be as warm as Correggio's pictures or as fastily wrought as a cup of Benvenuto Cellini, I and my words and work are trampled under the hoofs of the multitudes of obscurity.

Therefore I could wish the gods might give me an hour of plain, chequered fame, so that, before I speak, club women might ring a bell for silence, and when I speak I might hear my incoherent platitude caught up as something precious and passed on from lip to lip, and that this I might admire myself in the reverberating echoes of my intellectual thunder.

Reputation, fame, a pedestal, raises a man to the nth power. I have seen congregations convulsed at a bishop's milky wit; I have read hay books by famous writers; I have heard the maudering of mayors and presidents applauded wildly. I wonder what I'd look like under the magnifying glass!

FAVORS ABOLITION OF PROPERTY TAX

Commission Hears Witnesses
at Golden—Suggestion as
to School Taxes

Golden, B.C., Oct. 6.—The tax commission appointed to inquire into and report on the operation of the assessment act was in session here yesterday. Much evidence was obtained here, and the members of the commission state that they are gathering much very valuable information.

Among those volunteering suggestions at the session here were C. A. Warren and H. G. Parson, M.P.P. Mr. Warren favored the abolition of the personal property tax and the substitution of a graduated income tax. He volunteered many other suggestions that will undoubtedly be of much assistance to the commission.

Mr. Parson favored a 50 per cent. reduction in the personal property tax, or as an alternative that this tax be eliminated entirely and the taxes derived wholly from income. He was in favor of a graduated income tax and would raise the exemption from \$1,000 as at present to 2,000. He was not in accord with the suggestion that the revenue tax should be abolished entirely, but thought that if a person was paying personal property taxes equivalent to the revenue tax he should be exempt from payment of the latter.

He suggested that the revenue tax could be collected from every male person of the full age as at present, and that on the payment of the personal property tax and presentation of the revenue tax receipt the latter could be refunded.

Mr. Parson stated that up to the present there had been no injustice in the wild land tax, but in view of the fact that the prices of government land had been increased, and it would not be practicable to assess wild land at less than the figure fixed by the government, he thought it may be advisable to slightly reduce the taxation. He was certainly not in favor of giving the speculator greater advantages.

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than the settler, but he thought it at least advisable to consider this question.

Mr. Parson suggested that as soon as the regularly organized school districts made their estimates an advance should be made by the government covering such estimates for a year ahead. He favored the payment of school taxes by every one, and suggested that no person should be exempt.

The members of the commission and their party left this morning by automobile through the Columbia Valley for Cranbrook, where they sit on Saturday. H. G. Parson, accompanied the party to Cranbrook.

STRENGTHEN GUARDS

Troops Will Be Sent to British Consulates in Southern Persia.

Sims, India, Oct. 6.—Owing to the disturbed conditions in Persia the sanction of the Earl of Crewe, secretary of state for India, is only waited for the dispatch of the Sixth Cavalry and 36th Indian Horse to the Persian Gulf to strengthen the guards about the British consulates in Southern Persia. Shiraz, on the Persian Gulf, is threatened with a rising of tribesmen. The consulate there has asked for protection.

LUMBER BUSINESS IMPROVING.

Tacoma, Oct. 6.—Reports from lumber manufacturers in 24 states received yesterday at the office of Manager Leonard Bronson, of the National Lumber Manufacturers' Association indicate that the lumber output is but 34 per cent. greater than the shipments, which according to Manager Bronson, means that the lumber industry is returning to its proper basis. The National Lumber Manufacturers' Association three months ago began to gather statistics concerning the lumber cut, the shipments, and the stock on hand at the mills.

LUMBER MILL COMBINE

Bellingham, Wash., Oct. 6.—Henry J. Pierce, of Spokane, who is promoting the tidewater mill combine, arrived in the city yesterday, and after a conference with E. K. Wood, the Earle-Cleary Company, J. H. Bloedel of the Nelson Lumber Company, and Glen Hyatt of the Bellingham Bay Mill Company, departed for the south, stating that in all probability all the tidewater mill manufacturing plants of this city would sign the agreements.

COAL AT HAZELTON.

Prince Rupert, B.C., Oct. 6.—James McEoy, representing Toronto capitalists, including George Lindsey, is here on his way east. He spent several months on Groundhog mountain, near Hazelton, opening up a coal measure there. He is better pleased than ever with it, and says there is an immense body of coal as good as the best Pennsylvania hard. It can be mined by tunnelling. It is assured that railway connection will be given very early. A local syndicate interested in quartz mines near Hazelton

have received word that Silver Standard ore, near there, gives assays of \$800 in silver and copper.

TAFT ON ARBITRATION.

Salt Lake, Utah, Oct. 6.—President Taft spoke in the Salt Lake tabernacle here yesterday to several thousand "old folks" gathered in the Utah capital in annual reunion. The subject chosen by the president was "Peace and the Arbitration Treaties." The president's address was largely like those he has made before on the subject of arbitration, but he explained in a new and humorous way his failure to understand the attitude of those who oppose the treaties.

At the conclusion of the president's address Senator Smoot of Utah, who has heretofore opposed the ratification of the proposed treaties with Great Britain and France, announced that he was now for the peace treaties as suggested by President Taft.

SEARCHING FOR HUSBAND.

Provo, Utah, Oct. 6.—The disguise of Mary Brown, who left Denver last Monday for Salt Lake City in quest of her husband, according to her own story, failed to deceive the conductor of the immigrant train on which the woman was riding and she was ejected from the train at Springville, Utah, garbed in man's apparel and carrying under her arm a bundle of woman's

clothing. Mrs. Brown reached here yesterday, having made the journey from Springville afoot. The woman told the officers here that she believed the adoption of male attire would serve to make easy her ventures in the mining camps of the state, where she hopes to discover her husband.

CLEARING THE RUINS.

Austin, Pa., Oct. 6.—With one body and part of another recovered from the ruins the list of missing has been further reduced, but the convictions are that there will be some that never will be found. Seven bodies or parts of bodies unclaimed will be buried today.

With nearly 100 more men who came into what is left of Austin the search for the bodies and disentangling the debris was spread over a greater area, and it was stated that by nightfall decided progress would be shown.

Commissioner of Health Dixon, who was driven through the valley to Costello, said the river is so strewn with lumber and dwellings tangled up with steel coal cars and bent and twisted rails that it will be difficult to clear it up.

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The above rules are made for the benefit of readers of the Times, who insist upon the paper being delivered as early in the evening as possible.

THE DEPARTING GOVERNOR.

Coterminous with the close of the Liberal administration in Canada comes the period of the incumbency of Lord Grey as Governor-General and His Excellency is engaged in attending those social functions which are to mark his farewell from the Dominion as the representative of His Majesty King George V. While each succeeding Governor-General who has filled this distinguished office has had some characteristic that has made his official reign remembered, Lord Grey seems to have exactly fitted the times and circumstances of the era of Canadian development to which his term of office was assigned. He has been the representative of the Crown for seven years and has merited the universal encomium that he has been the best Governor-General Canada has ever had.

Probably the reason why this is so is that Earl Grey from the first day of his tenure of office seems to have correctly estimated the Canadian spirit and—quite contrary to the habit of many of the British nobility—he not only respected this spirit but fostered all that was wise and good in its distinguishing features. His analysis of his position and the spirit in which he could best discharge his duty to the Dominion is best expressed in words of his own spoken at the Canadian Club luncheon at Ottawa last week. He said:

"I have rejoiced as an Englishman over the material developments of Canada, and over her emergence from the status of a daughter to that of a sister assistant nation in the Empire. If you examine the speeches I have made since I became Governor-General, I do not think you will be able to find one single occasion on which I have referred to you as a colony or as colonial."

"I have also endeavored to emphasize the character of your relationship to the Empire, by substituting wherever possible for the expression in ordinary use when I came into office, of 'my ministers,' the more dignified expression of 'His Majesty's Canadian ministers.'"

"It has also been my practice when referring to the loyalty of Canada, to speak of her loyalty, not to England, but to the Empire."

We can conceive that it cost Earl Grey no self-discipline to maintain this frame of mind; it was not done patronizingly but as the sincere appreciation of the destiny Canada is ordained to play as an important overseas Dominion.

Earl Grey also took pains to acquire first hand information respecting the country over which he ruled. There is scarcely a community in its broad extent from ocean to ocean that he did not visit, and his familiarity is not alone with the physical features of the country but with the habits and life, the genius and aspiration, of its people, as well as with the methods adopted to realize these. It is to be regretted that his projected trip through the Farthest North did not materialize, and no one will be more disappointed in this than His Excellency himself.

It must be said that the interest which he took in his people was equally shared by Her Excellency Lady Grey and she, as well as the Ladies Sybil and Evelyn, who so sympathetically entered into the lives of the people of Canada, will carry away the sincerest good wishes of those among whom they spent their seven years in viceregal residence.

SIGNIFICANT UTTERANCES.

Once upon a time there was a Roman citizen, profoundly philosophical, hesitating as Demosthenes in his speech and unimpressive as an orator, but irresistible in his written arguments. In a letter to some friends and disciples of his own he once stated that "there is no sound that has not its significance," and a momentary reflection upon this deliverance will convince one of its truth. The incident was recalled to our recollection by reason of a deep, monotonous and anxious undertone pervading the editorial utterances of the chief Tory organs of Canada when discussing the future of high tariffs in the United States. There is among these organs a disquieting suspicion that the day of high tariffs is doomed in the American republic and the anxiety of the Canadian Tories—if their organs may be taken as example—is to know what will be the effect upon Canadian protection should the United States remove its tariffs on the necessities of life. It will be remembered that one of the chief arguments of the local Tory organ against reciprocity was that the United States would voluntarily lower its tariffs in a short time and that Canada would obtain all the benefits of reciprocity without becoming a consenting party to the agreement.

While this was but half the truth, that half which is true appears likely to take place much earlier than the Tories or high protectionists of Canada expected. The defeat of reciprocity in Canada has brought to the front in the United States as it will soon do in Canada the direct question of high tariffs and their effect upon the welfare of a nation; particularly the consuming populace who constitute the life of the nation. There is no doubt that the United States, in the interests of its consuming masses, must lower its tariffs in order to reduce the cost of living to avoid economic and industrial panic. There is, moreover, no doubt that the Republicans who supported President Taft in the reciprocity measure hoped that its passage would tide over the crisis introduced into congress and senate by the triumph of the Democratic party at the last elections. While the reciprocity pact was a direct inversion of the Republican theory of protective tariffs the protectionists were willing to accept the modified reduction proposed in the reciprocity pact rather than risk the sweeping reductions proposed under the Democratic free list. The defeat of reciprocity by Canada projects the free list directly into the arena of political and party strife, and the Republicans know what the end must be.

There is striking evidence of this in the position taken by the New York Journal of Commerce, which says: "We are at liberty to open the door, or lower the barrier, to Canadian products for our own benefit. Canada cannot help sharing in it, and will take more of our products in return, unless she willfully increases obstruction, and that would hurt her more than us."

"The best response to Canada's refusal to trade on better terms is to make the same concessions to all the world that was offered her, without asking anything in return. There would be positive advantage in it for us, and it would do no harm that others would benefit too."

The Times is of the opinion that this is what will happen in the United States. Our American cousins offered us a tariff reduction in the terms of the reciprocity agreement. There is no disputing that it was a largely selfish measure from the United States point of view, but that fact does not argue against the benefits that Canada would undoubtedly have derived from the operation of the agreement. The specific advantage which Canada would have derived lay in the fact that the United States market would have been preserved exclusively to Canada; there would have been no competition with other nations. The Times repeatedly pointed out this feature in arguing for reciprocity. The United States, being now compelled to lower its tariffs for its own protection, cannot be expected to preserve the preference for Canada in her markets. Thus one of the chief advantages of reciprocity is already lost to this country. No one can prevent the Americans from lowering their tariff and all the evils which were predicted—blackly painted—by the Tory organs in their arguments against reciprocity will come upon us without our being able to help ourselves. With an open market in the United States we shall sell much more to our neighbors, but in competition with other nations. Thus, our wheat will be sold to United States millers, our lumber go into the United States and our resources—insofar as a tariff wall would keep them out—will go that way. The trade will be north and south instead of east and west just so far as tariffs or their non-existence control trade currents and their directions.

This is what is giving the Tory organs anxiety. They know that Canada, being so near and so vitally related to the United States in trade matters, will not be slow to learn the lesson from reduced tariffs. They know that the people of Canada will not stand for a half bargain—a jug handled customs arrangement—by which the United States profits to the full extent of free trade while Canada suffers under a prohibitive tariff in trade relations with that country.

The Toronto World, discussing this question, shows how helpless the Tories will be when Canada awakens to the full significance of what has been lost by the defeat of reciprocity. Admitting the advantage which the Americans will reap from a reduction in their tariff, it says:

"Canada, on the other hand, will hardly consent to any tariff rearrangement which will make possible the exploitation of her natural resources by American interests."

When the tariffs are removed against

Canadian raw materials and agricultural products going into the United States it will be a mighty task for the Tory organs to explain to the Canadian electorate how the maintenance of a high tariff on American products coming into Canada can "make possible the exploitation of our natural resources by American interests." In the defeat of reciprocity the Canadian "Interests" have done precisely what Sir Wilfrid Laurier warned them against; they have prepared the way for a terrific onslaught on the protective system. The next time the people of Canada vote on a tariff question they will have, once more, a direct issue before them and one which they will not misunderstand. There will be no flag-waving available when that day arrives and the impact of the blow will be directed upon the very interests which now plead for high protection at the expense of the helpless consumer. When the voter awakens to the blind pace at which he was led by the corporations who have tied the hands of Mr. Borden—and to whom the Tory party in Canada is helplessly bound, they will understand what they have done by electing them to power. And it will not be long until they find this out. That is what is already giving an ominous sound to the mutterings of the Tory press. All the people can be fooled some of the time and some of the people all the time, but not all the people all the time.

Arabi Pasha is dead. Thirty years ago he led the revolutionists in Egypt against an extravagant and incapable government. Incidentally he got into conflict with Great Britain and at Tel el Kebir his forces were shattered by a British army under Wolseley. Good government for Egypt came from the proceedings, but not in the way Arabi thought. He lived to see the change and possibly to be pleased over it not satisfied with it.

After a long and honorable career, the major portion of it devoted to the public service, and that service faithfully and diligently performed, Lieut.-Col. Wolfenden, King's Printer and Printer, has crossed the Great Divide. In the days of his youth the Colonel learned "the art, trade and mystery" of printing, and the typographical excellence of the British Columbia Gazette and of all matter that issued from the office of the King's Printer, bore testimony to the fact that he was a master of the art. A thorough sportsman, a genial and kindly-hearted gentleman, taking a deep interest in everything that pertained to the welfare of British Columbia, Col. Wolfenden was one of the best known men in the province, and his death, although he died literally "full of years and honors," will be most sincerely deplored. The Times joins in extending its deepest sympathy to the family and friends of the departed gentleman.

Commenting on dear-food riots of continental Europe, the London Daily Chronicle sums up the whole case in a few concise sentences. It says: "All over Europe we read, 'there is news of anti-government movements.' But in the majority of cases the significant thing is that the said movements are connected with the price of food. They started in France with the housewives; and at Vienna the demonstration, which unhappily ended in bloodshed, was expressly against the high price of food. Tariff Reformers in this country attempt to obscure and confuse the moral of these movements. Other elements enter into the outbreaks, they say; and that may be true; but the fact does not dispose of the anti-dear-food element. In this country also, they say again, the price of food has shown a tendency to rise; and that also may be true, but it does not touch the point. The price of food is governed by two sets of causes: (1) natural, (2) artificial. The natural causes are supply and demand in the food-producing countries, the seasons, the harvests, and so forth. Of the artificial causes which raise the price of food, a tariff is the principal. The movement on the continent of Europe is produced by the aggravation of the former causes by the latter. The moral is the folly of recommending to the people of this country to put a tax upon imported bread and meat."

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—A high class entertainment in the form of a cantata, entitled "The Story of Music," will be rendered by the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church choir in their church on Wednesday next, Oct. 11th, at 8.15. The leading soloists, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred A. Codd, Mrs. Jesse Longfield and Mr. J. O. Dunford, along with the full choir of over forty voices, will render to all music lovers a rare treat.

—Registration before the end of the month is essential in order to secure a place on the roll of the civic electors for the annual election next January, except in the case of the registered owners of property, and those exempted under statute. If the road tax of \$2 has been paid already the making of the declaration will be sufficient, otherwise both the tax and the declaration must be dealt with at the office of the city assessor, where declaration forms may be obtained. License holders and householders are affected by this arrangement. Those who registered and paid the tax after the election of January was invalidated, will not be required to pay the tax, but must make the declaration.

—The Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church met at Mrs. (Dr.) Russell's residence and reports of the year's work were very encouraging. The course of studies in missions is to be discontinued, and Baptist missions in all parts of the world will be the new study. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Bishop; vice-presidents, Mrs. T. Elliott and Mrs. King; treasurers, Mrs. R. Elliott; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Warnicker; recording secretary, Mrs. Beckwith. In honor of her long and faithful services to the society Mrs. Thomas Elliott was presented with a life membership certificate. The meeting closed and a social tea hour was enjoyed. Mrs. Brooke rendering a pleasing solo.

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Princess Adelaide leaves Vancouver daily, except Tuesday, at 10 a. m., arriving Victoria at 2.30 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily, arriving Victoria at 4 p. m.

Victoria-Seattle.

Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 5 p. m., arriving Seattle at 10 p. m.; Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 9 a. m., arriving at Victoria 1.15 p. m. On the lay-over day the steamer Iroquois, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.

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Princess Charlotte leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 11 p. m., arriving Seattle 8 a. m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Seattle 8 a. m., except Monday, at 11.30 p. m., arriving at Vancouver at 8 a. m.

BOY SCOUTS RACE TO-DAY.

To-day the Boy Scouts of Victoria hold their inter-troup race for the handsome silver cup presented by Messrs. Robinson and Andrews.

About ten troops are competing and the race is a relay from the Oak Bay hotel to the Union Club via Oak Bay and Fort Street round into Douglas.

The teams have been training and a good race is expected. Each team has eight runners and can place their men anywhere they like on the route, passing a staff from boy to boy.

The start is fixed for 3.00 p. m., so that the finish should be at 3.30 or thereabouts.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Local Council of Women will be held on Monday at 2.30 p. m. in the ladies' committee room of the Y. M. C. A.

—The regular meeting of the Ladies' Guild of the Metropolitan Methodist church will take place to-morrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Currie, 1221 Pandora street.

—The Victoria Spiritual Society will hold a meeting on Sunday evening at 8 p. m., at the K. of P. hall, corner of Pandora and Douglas Sts. Mrs. Lieb, from the east, will give a trance lecture, followed by clairvoyant messages. All are welcome.

—Miscreants, apparently with systematic destructive proclivities, are making efforts to ruin the fine boulevard lately constructed on Menzies street. On the south side running from Belleville to Michigan streets a fine row of trees recently planted have been entirely destroyed.

—The meeting of the anti-Tuberculosis Society was held at the Alexandra-Club committee rooms yesterday afternoon. It was a well attended meeting and arrangements for the forthcoming entertainment in aid of the society were discussed. No definite form of entertainment has been decided upon.

—With the rainy season soon upon us, some means should be taken to remedy the smooth condition of the granite stairs at the southern entrance to the post office. Worn down to a glassy smoothness, together with the falling mist and rain, they make a dangerous trap for the unwary pedestrian.

—The Victoria lodge, No. 84, of the I. O. G. T. is holding its first anniversary social to-night in the school-room of the Church of Our Lord, corner of Humboldt and Blanchard streets. An excellent programme of music, etc., will be provided and refreshments supplied during the evening.

—To-morrow evening at 8.30 a special programme is to be carried out at the close of the Island Art exhibition now being held at the Alexandra-Club. Madame Sheldon, one of Jean de Resche's favorite pupils, will make the concert memorable by her pleasing appearance. Mrs. Sheldon, a singer of renown, will be remembered as a resident here a few years ago. Mrs. Gibson is to accompany her. Several pianoforte solos by Miss Irene Long, A. R. C. M., will be heard. Miss Long's playing at the initial concert of the Victoria Ladies' Musical Club this season was favorably commented on. A. Codd, a popular baritone, will be heard in several songs.

—A habit of secrecy in acknowledging faults is a guard against committing them.—G. Brown.

GREAT ADVANCE IN SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Nearly Five Hundred More Children in the City Schools Than Twelve Months Ago

There are 3,750 pupils in the public schools of this city according to statistics prepared by the superintendent of schools, E. B. Paul, M. A., or an increase of 454 from the figures of September twelve months ago. Accordingly the long suffering ratepayers who groan under the heavy taxation due to the demand for new schools have little prospect of relief, as adequate accommodation for the children must be provided.

The number of passes from the first division of the public schools to the High school was abnormal. Twelve months ago, accounting for the same number practically in the High school this year as last, i.e. 344, and the Boys' and Girls' Central schools have also been decreased owing to the opening of the Bank and Moss Street schools, relieving accommodation which was otherwise greatly overtaxed. The increase at the North Ward school is nearly one hundred, and here something will have to be done in the renting of temporary quarters, or the erection of a new school.

The statistics of attendance are as follows:

	1910	1911	Inc.	Dec.
High	343	344	1	
Boys' Central	547	481	66	
Girls' Central	441	386	55	
North Ward	523	615	92	
South Park	329	304	25	
Geo. Jay	322	363	41	
Victoria West	276	293	17	
Moss street	261	261		
Kingston Street	269	276	6	
Bank Street	152	152		
Spring Ridge	166	184	18	
Beck-By	73	74	1	
Flaggard Street	37	48	11	
	3326	3780	600	146

REAL ESTATE DEAL IN WATERFRONTAGE

Syndicate Secures Valuable Holdings Near Parson's Bridge

A quarter of a million dollar real estate deal on Esquimalt harbor, through Monk & Monteth, is announced, several local holders of land with deep water frontage in the desirable location near Parson's Bridge having completed the sale of their interests to a syndicate. The proprietors, if they do not turn over the property in block, which is 200 acres in extent, will themselves develop it for industrial and wharfage purposes.

The property has a mile of frontage to deep water, in fact with a little dredging 36 feet would be available at all stages of the tide, and it only requires spur tracks to connect it with the existing E. & N. railway and the Canadian Northern is now in course of construction through the property. The former would be reached on the high level, enabling direct discharge of coal from the island into ships' bunkers, and the latter on the wharf level.

The high power transmission wires from Jordan river pass through the property, and there will also be a good water supply available from the city pipe line. A reserve has been set aside for industrial sites, and above the bridge to the Sooke road is a shallow pool suitable for light draught craft reserved in bringing in material.

The property is certain to advance with the development of the port, as Esquimalt harbor is bound to share in the general progress, and it may be mentioned that alternative surveys for an available electric line from the city have been made within the last few days, anticipating that the settlement in this portion of the waterfront will be such as to demand car facilities.

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ARTS AND CRAFTS A GOOD EXHIBITION

Considerable Interest Manifested in Exhibits by Large Crowd of Art Students

The members of the Arts and Crafts Society are receiving their friends and guests at the annual exhibition which opened yesterday afternoon in the dainty hall room of the Alexandra-Club. Every piece is in its proper place and the walls are covered with the choicest paintings, etchings, pastels, and water colors. Mention might meritoriously be given each individual exhibit, but among the pleasing array there stands out in more noticeable splendor Jacob Lemeys's design for a frette, boldly conceived and executed with character and cleverness. His panels, book-covers, over-mantels and door-plates all show wonderful strength and finish. Mr. Lemeys is yet a young man, and as an interior decorator and designer for commercial art his talents can be disputed by none.

Mrs. G. P. Napier is exhibiting Carick-na-Cross and Limerick lace collars of her own hand work and her pillow of stencil work shows other talents. N. Nicholson of "Royal Oak," is displaying his etched copper work. His plate for the Saanich room, presented by the anti-Tuberculosis Society of Saanich, July, 1910, is excellent. To Mr. Lloyd, vice-president of the Miniature Society, London, Eng., special mention must be given. His collection of exquisite miniatures, including one of his own eye, are the choicest of charms. Miss Tillard's water colors of the Welsh and Ouse rivers in the old country are charmingly done, as are also Hugh Davis' works. His delight is sea and boat atmospheres, at which he shows marked color feeling. A charming pastel by Mrs. D. K. Harris represents an old vine from her father's home at Fort Vancouver and there is on exhibition another pastel, the face of a young girl nicely brought out on paper.

R. Sheller's pen, ink and wash is charmingly done and hangs in a little group near the outer door. T. V. Wyld, with oil and brush represents a beautiful young girl comfortably seated on a couch, while in her lap reposes a sleek black tabby. This painting is entitled "Victoria and Toddlers." For the work of an amateur, Mrs. Dennis Harris' portrait of Rev. D. J. Gladstone is very good. Mrs. Stone is exhibiting a beautifully embroidered portiere and Miss E. M. Hendry of Vancouver has some choice jewelry of unique design and splendid workmanship on show. There is not one article but what stands out a credit to its exhibitor, good enough to be shown anywhere, and all yesterday afternoon friends, acquaintances and others interested in art passed around the spacious room, admiring the interesting work. Tea was served from four to five-thirty in the tea-room.

REPORT OF INQUIRY EXPECTED TO-NIGHT

Anticipation That Investigating Committee Will Exonerate Ald. and Solicitor

The report of the investigating committee concerning the charges against the city solicitor and Alderman H. M. Fullerton connected with the award of the paving contract to the Canadian Mineral Rubber company, is expected to be presented at the meeting of the city council this evening, and while no official statement has been made as to how the finding will go it is generally understood in civic circles that the report can take no other line in view of the evidence or absence of it at the inquiry, than to exonerate both completely. The report was drafted yesterday, but will not be signed till to-day.

There is likely to be further comment on the position of the city engineer, as in spite of the rejection of the mayor's proposal to invite J. W. Astley, of Winnipeg, to become a successor to Mr. Smith, an official still in office, the mayor has indicated that he will not allow the matter to rest there. Mr. Smith, the city engineer, has the support of all members of the council, except his worship and Alderman Gleason in the present trouble.

The engineer being appointed by the council he cannot be removed by the mayor, but it is possible for him to be suspended pending an investigation. If this course is taken, lively times are assured in the council chamber at tonight's discussion should the matter come up.

"THE TOYS" MATINEE.

Story of the Play As It Originated—Pretty Costumes and Scenes.

"The Toys Awake" is taken from the German legend of the toymaker of Nuremberg. In this beautiful hamlet there lived a Drosselman who was toymaker to the king, and had the reputation of making the finest toys in the world. Drosselman had a large family of children and they were also toymakers vying with one another to improve the old designs and make new ones for the ensuing year. These toys grew more lifelike as the years went by; so much so that one little boy asked his father if the toys would ever come to life, and the father, thinking it would please him, said, "Yes, my son."

The boy took some of the most beautiful toys to his play-house and watched for them to spring to life. After days and weeks of disappointment he told his mother what his father had said to him. He said if they came to life he wanted to see how



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they acted. The mother, failing to persuade the father to tell the little boy that he had made a mistake, thought of a fairy story she had read in a book borrowed from the king's library.

This book told of a fairy queen in Fairyland, who, by the touch of her magic wand could bring anything to life. "Now," said she, "if I can secure that fairy queen's services she can surely bring these toys to life, and that will satisfy the boy that his father has told the truth. She visited the king to learn how she might secure the services of the fairy queen. The king offers to send his herald. The herald goes all the way to fairyland and secures the mystic realm from the queen, and a promise that she will be glad to go if her fairies may accompany her. The herald reports to the king, and the old German mother is summoned for an attendance, with the king in his palace. Now, the anniversary of the boy queen's birthday was near at hand and the king suggests that it would be well to have the fairy queen come on that occasion and awaken the toys into life, that all the villagers who are accustomed to assemble may join in the event, and see the living toys. The king further agreed to hold a court that night that the children might assemble there. Now there was a beautiful young prince in Charmingland who had manifested a great desire to come to Toyland, as Nuremberg was called, that he may win the hand of the charming young princess. This seemed a favorable opportunity and he is invited. He accepts the invitation and appears with his attendants at court, and wins the hand of the young princess, receiving a seat on the throne beside the king. Representatives of other countries are also invited.

This is a short story from the real fable on which the play is based. Mr. Ford was the writer of the speaking parts and his niece, Miss Bertha Adams, wrote the music, for the little drama they made of the story. It is now being played at the Victoria theatre for the Saturday matinee. The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. have charge of it, and its presentation on Wednesday evening was a complete success.

AUGMENTATION FUND.

Committee Sets Its Claims Before Presbyterian Church.

The executive of the augmentation committee of the Presbyterian church met in Toronto on Thursday last. The claims of Presbyteries for the quarter ending Sept. 30 were carefully considered and generally approved. It was decided to publish a leaflet on the work of the committee, which might be put into the hands of men engaged in the campaign to raise for the enterprises of the church \$500,000 this year and \$1,000,000 next year.

The committee is extremely anxious to be able next March to supplement stipends in Ontario and Quebec up to \$800, in Northern Ontario and the Prairie Provinces up to \$1,000 and in British Columbia up to \$1,100.

It is felt that the adequate support of the Canadian ministry is absolutely vital to the success of the whole work of the church at home and abroad. In order that the ambition of the committee may be realized, it will be necessary that Presbyteries and others concerned exert themselves to the utmost, and that congregations assign

to this fund its fair share of their contributions to the schemes of the church.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 6—5 a. m.—An extensive storm area is spreading southward over this province. It is causing heavy rains over Northern British Columbia and southern gales prevail on the West Coast of Vancouver Island and to the Columbia river. The weather remains fine and mild in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts. For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday. Victoria and vicinity: Increasing, easterly and southerly winds, unsettled and mild, with rain.

Lower Mainland—Easterly to southerly winds, unsettled and mild, with rain.

Reports at 5 a. m.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, 50; minimum, 49; wind, 6 miles N.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, 40; weather, rain.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, 50; minimum, 46; wind, 8 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.93; temperature, 34; minimum, 34; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 6; minimum, 48; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Thursday.

Temperature.

Highest 57

Lowest 41

Average 49

Bright sunshine, 48 minutes.

General state of weather, cloudy.

—The building inspector yesterday issued \$38,500 worth of permits. R. T. Elliott's building at Cormorant and Government calling for the largest amount, \$23,000. Messrs. Leeming Bros' building on Fort and Cook street, \$12,000. Mr. Thos. Emerson, a dwelling on Victor street, \$1,900. Samuel Cameron, a dwelling on Lee street, \$1,000, and to A. J. Woodward, alterations to premises on Fort street, \$600.

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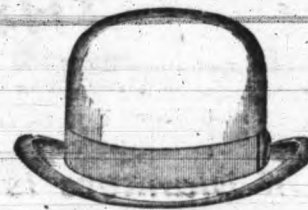
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NEWS OF SPORT

HANDSOME TROPHY FOR SENIOR LEAGUE

S. A. Okell's Generous Presentation—Referees' Offer Turned Down

To replace the Garrison trophy, which has been won outright by the

West, G. A. Okell has very generously presented a handsome silver cup for competition amongst the senior teams of the city. The cup is emblematic of the championship of Victoria and is to be played for under the rules of the Victoria and District Soccer Association. It is to be won three years, not necessarily in succession, before becoming the property of a club.

An announcement to this effect was made at the weekly meeting of the Victoria and District Soccer Association last evening and evoked great enthusiasm. A hearty expression of thanks to Mr. Okell was voted.

Judging by the feeling at last night's meeting the soccer players will continue to pick their own referees and will have nothing whatever to do with

the Referees' Association. The latter's offer of their service at senior games for \$2.50 and to allow the Football Association to choose their own men for the second division games was turned down last evening. Consequently, referees for Saturday's games are being chosen as they were last Saturday, from amongst the idle players.

With regard to the protest made by the Wests against the Garrison playing Wylie in the match last Saturday, which the Garrison won 3 to 0, the association ruled that nothing could be done owing to the fact that the protest was of no value, not having been accompanied by the required fee of \$2.50. But it did seriously consider the advisability of inflicting a punishment on the Garrison and Wylie in particular for an infraction of the association's rules. In view of certain extenuating circumstances, however, the guilty parties were let off with a censure.

The application made by Massey last year with the now defunct Empress seniors, for regraduation as a second division player, was refused, it being considered that Massey was too good a player to enter intermediate ranks. He wants to play with the Wards.

The cause of Pickering, Waring and Douglas, of the Sons of England, who were suspended for one playing date at the last meeting for signing on with two clubs were reconsidered, and owing to the fact that it was proven that he had not committed a breach of the



NEWSY LALONDE
Inside home for Vancouver.

rules, the suspension on Waring was lifted. Waring had signed with one senior and one second division club, and it was ruled that there was nothing illegal in this. The suspension on the other two players was allowed to remain.

J. Fletcher, of the Sons of England, was elected to represent the association at meetings of the local branch of the B. C. A. A. U.

WORLD'S CHAMPIONS PLAY HERE MONDAY

Local Lacrosse Fans Will Be Treated to Finest Exposition of Game

That local lacrosse enthusiasts will on Monday afternoon be treated to an exposition of the Canadian national game which it has never been the fortune of their predecessors to witness, seems inevitable in view of the fact that two of the greatest, if not the greatest, teams in the world are the contestants. There is not the slightest chance of the players taking it easy, either, for in many ways the match will answer more correctly than the games at Vancouver the question as to which is the best team. The Tecumsehs claim that the reason they lost last Saturday was because they were playing on the Vancouver's home ground, and the latter are determined to prove that they are the better aggre-

gation at any place or any time. Therefore when they line up on neutral ground one of the greatest battles in the history of the game should ensue. It is not likely that Victorians will again be afforded the opportunity to see the eastern and western champions in action for years to come. There is only one team in the world which can begin to compare with the two playing here on Monday; that is, of course, New Westminster, former holders of the national title. The Salmon Belles, however, have retrograded considerably, and although they put up a sturdy struggle against Con. Jones' Stars this year, it is doubtful that they could be ranked above the Tecumsehs.

The Tecumsehs are a wonderful road team, having lost only one game away from home this season, that being to Vancouver last Saturday.

Although there may be one or two changes the teams will line up about like this:

Goal.	Tecumsehs.
Clarke	Kinsman
Griffith	Point.
West	Cover Point.
Pickering	First Defence.
Ion	Second Defence.
Godfrey	Third Defence.
Matheson	Centre.
Fitzgerald	Third Home.
Allen	Second Home.
Phelan	First Home.
Adams	Outside Home.
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Inside Home. McDougal Regarding the final game at Vancouver to-morrow for the world's title, both clubs have expressed themselves as being quite confident of the result. Querrie does not expect to win the Minto cup, but he is sure that if the Vancouvers are to win to-morrow they will have to extend themselves to the utmost. The latter are now five goals to the good, so that it is practically impossible for the easterners to reverse the tables so completely as to grab the Minto cup.

BAYLEY ON TRAVELS
Left for Calgary Last Night to Get Match With Laurier.

Joe Bayley, the local lightweight and B. C. champion in his class, has joined the ranks of the mitt artists for good now. Last evening he departed for Calgary where he will endeavor to get a match with Billy Laurier. Joe says that if all goes well with him he is not likely to see Victoria again for many years.

He had just come down from Prince Rupert, where he added to his laurels by administering a severe drubbing to a fighter named Oscar Nelson on Wednesday night. Nelson is a Vancouver lad and is reputed to be extremely nifty with the gloves, but he

had not the slightest chance with Bayley.

The following is an extract from a Prince Rupert paper referring to the fight: "The end came swiftly and disastrously for Nelson, who succumbed to a right swing to the jaw early in the second round."

P. CONLIN WON.

In a skating race which for thrills and excitement had any previous one beaten a mile, P. Conlin, of Vancouver, last evening defeated "Del" Hodnett, the local crack, by about a yard at the Fort street rink. The race was over a mile course and was skated in four minutes.



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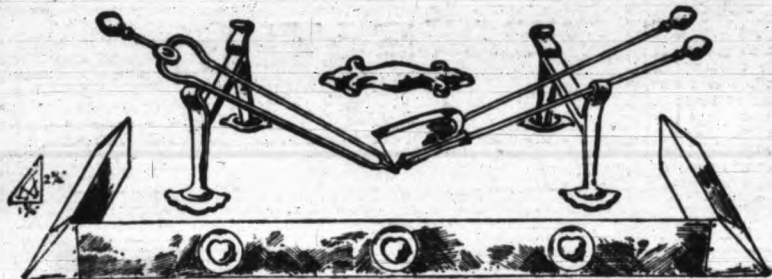
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The device consists of two U-shaped tanks partially filled with water, extending the entire width of the ship so contrived that the water flows in the opposition direction to the rolling of the vessel. The ship so equipped is said to carry its own waves, which tend to neutralize its motion and hold the decks in a horizontal position.

The Victoria Louise has been remodelled to sail exclusively as a cruising steamer. She will make a cruise of 80 days to the Orient in January and in the following November a cruise around the world.

FRISCO'S MARINE NEWS.
Fitzpatrick Chartered to Load Coal for U. S. Government—Other Charters.

San Francisco, Oct. 6.—The British steamer Fitzpatrick has been chartered by the United States government to load a cargo of coal at Norfolk for the Mare Island navy yard. The steamer is well known on the coast, having operated between Tacoma and the Orient under charter to the Osaka Shosen Kaisha pending the completion of the first few steamers in the company's line. She has completed a voyage from Antwerp to Norfolk. The vessel is commanded by Captain Hutchinson.

The schooner Winslow, which left the sound last week for San Pedro with lumber cargo, has been chartered by the S. E. Slade Lumber Company to load a cargo of lumber of Gray's Harbor for two ports in Peru. She receives a rate of \$14.3d.

The schooner Annie M. Campbell, at San Pedro from Tacoma, has been chartered for another trip between the same ports at \$4.75. She arrived at San Pedro September 26 from Tacoma.

The Western Fuel Company has just chartered the Norwegian steamer Admiral Barron to load a cargo of coal in British Columbia for San Francisco. She will probably load at Comox. The steamer is under time charter to J. J. Moore & Co., and on the completion of the sub-charter to the Western Fuel Company will proceed to Eureka and Tacoma to load a cargo of lumber for Australia.

The Harrison Direct Line from Europe reports that the British steamer Marician will leave Antwerp October 14 for this port and Puget Sound. She follows the steamer Director and Crown of Galicia, which are now en route, and will arrive here about December 15.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 5.—The Australian Mail liner Strathairne sailed Tuesday night for Comox to take bunkers. She will load part cargo on the Sound and finish at this port, sailing from here for Sydney Oct. 27. The next vessels in this line will be the steamers Oceano and Haverle, both of which are now in Australian waters. The British steamer Heliopolis departed yesterday for Portland to load wheat for the United Kingdom, under charter of Balfour, Guthrie & Co.

The schooner Hugh Hogan was chartered to-day to load lumber on the Sound for this port at \$4.25. She started out from here for the Sound yesterday morning, but had to return on account of the heavy weather.

The Pacific Mail-line steamer Siberia sailed for the Orient and the steamers Buckman and Hornet for the Sound.

CANNERIES WORKING YET AT WEST COAST

Tees Arrives in Port With 300
Cases of Salmon—Has
Good Trip From Clayoquot

Completing a splendid trip from Clayoquot and way ports, the C. P. R. steamer Tees (Capt. Gilliam) arrived here yesterday. The sea was as smooth as glass almost throughout the trip and very little fog was encountered to impede the progress of the vessel. She took a great deal of freight from this port last Sunday and succeeded in discharging it and reloading a homebound bound cargo at her different ports of call along the route in record time.

Over 800 cases of salmon were stowed away in the hold of the steamer. This consignment was loaded at the Clayoquot and Uchucklesit canneries, which are still operating. Officers aboard the Tees state that the cohoes and sockeyes are still running at Clayoquot and that many tees are being taken at the other packing place. Prospects are that the fishing season there will hold out for some time yet and that the west coast canneries will report a record catch when they close down for this year.

More fish have been put up on the west coast than in any former year, according to the officers on the Tees. Over 4,000 cases have been packed at Clayoquot and 14,000 at Uchucklesit. The fishermen there will continue fishing for several weeks longer and the present totals will be augmented considerably.

Fifty-two passengers arrived here on the Tees, the majority of whom embarked at Alberni. The west coast steamer will sail again to-morrow night, going as far north as Holberg. Many passengers have been booked on her and she will also have a good cargo of general freight for her ports of call.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS		
From the Orient		
Suvaric	Oct. 6	10:00
Empress of Japan	Oct. 6	10:00
Imaba Maru	Oct. 7	10:00
Mexico Maru	Oct. 10	10:00
From Australia		
Zealandia	Oct. 17	10:00
From Liverpool		
Cyclops	Oct. 28	10:00
From Mexico		
Healey	Oct. 28	10:00
From Antwerp		
Chancellor	Oct. 8	10:00
For the Orient		
Kamakura Maru	Oct. 7	10:00
Seattle Maru	Oct. 14	10:00
Empress of Japan	Oct. 17	10:00
For Mexico		
Lonsdale	Oct. 15	10:00
For Liverpool		
Bellerophon	Nov. 1	10:00
For Australia		
Zealandia	Nov. 1	10:00
COASTWISE STEAMERS		
From San Francisco		
City of Puebla	Oct. 6	10:00
Queen	Oct. 12	10:00
From Northern B. C. Ports		
Vado	Oct. 8	10:00
Prince Rupert	Oct. 11	10:00
Princess Beatrice	Oct. 18	10:00
From Skagway		
Princess May	Oct. 8	10:00
From the West Coast		
Tees	Oct. 5	10:00
For San Francisco		
Unatilla	Oct. 12	10:00
City of Puebla	Oct. 19	10:00
For Skagway		
Princess May	Oct. 9	10:00
For Northern B. C. Ports		
Vado	Oct. 7	10:00
Prince Rupert	Oct. 10	10:00
Venture	Oct. 12	10:00
Princess George	Oct. 12	10:00
For the West Coast		
Tees	Oct. 6	10:00
For Nanaimo		
Princess May	Oct. 10	10:00
For East Coast		
Queen City	Oct. 10	10:00

LAST RIVER STEAMER LEAVES WHITE HORSE

Yukon Closed to Navigation
Within Week—Vessels All
Crowded With Passengers

Dawson, Y. T., Oct. 6.—The last steamer left White Horse for Dawson to-day and the upper Yukon river will be closed to navigation within a week. The smaller streams are already frozen over. Boats arriving at White Horse from the north are crowded with people leaving Alaska to spend the winter in milder climates.

Travel to and from Fairbanks and the interior is by horse and dog conveyance and by foot until the ice breaks next spring. For a time between the freezing of rivers and the fall of snow transportation will almost be suspended in the interior of Alaska.

The mails will be carried on horseback and in buckboard wagons until snow renders the winter trails passable. Then the dog and horse stages will be put into service until the spring thaw destroys the well packed path of snow.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

October 5.
San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Steamers Virginian, Bellingham; Coaster, Columbia river; Bee, Mukilteo; Watson, Seattle; Manchuria, Hongkong; barkentine James Tuft, Newcastle, Aus. Sailed: Steamers Mexican, Col. E. L. Drake towing barge 90 for Seattle; Crown of Castle, London via Vancouver; Olympia, Bellingham; Sherman, Manila; schooner R. W. Bartlett, Tacoma; barkentine Papette, Unga.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Steamers Humboldt, Skagway; Argyle, San Francisco; barge Harvester in tow of tug Richmond Holyoke, Dundas; M. F. Plant, Tacoma; schooner K. W. Klamm, San Francisco.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Arrived: Flagship California, Rear-Admiral Thomas commanding, and U. S. armored cruisers South Dakota, West Virginia and Colorado, San Diego, to sail for San Francisco via Redondo, Friday; steamer Governor, San Diego; Bear, Portland; Coos Bay, San Francisco; schooner Centalla, Gray's Harbor; schooner Chehalis, Aberdeen; schooner San Gabriel, Umpqua river. Sailed: Schooner Bowdon, Eureka; steamer Governor, Seattle; schooner Saginaw, Willapa Harbor; barkentine Azago, Coos Bay; schooner Fair Oaks, Aberdeen.

PURCHASE FISH COMPANY.
Seattle, Wash., Oct. 6.—Announcement has been of the purchase of vessels of the Standard Fish Company and their plant and dock at the foot of Bell street by a newly-organized corporation, which will be known as the H. E. Poole Fish Company of Seattle.

The schooner has been organized by H. E. Poole of Tacoma, formerly manager of the International Fisheries Company of that city and Captain Harry K. Struve and J. S. Bolling of the Ship Brokerage firm of Struve and Bolling, with offices in the Grand Trunk Pacific Dock.

Three fishing schooners, the Standard No. 2, and the Charles Levi Woodburg are included in the deal. The vessels will be used in the halibut fishing banks on the Alaska coast, the company engaging in the wholesale fish business.

The schooner Charles Levi Woodburg is one of the best known vessels of her class on the coast. Two years ago she was seized by the Canadian fishing cruiser Kestrel between two islands of the Hecate group and held captive at Vancouver, B. C. The Canadian officers claimed that she was within the three-mile limit. The master of the Woodburg explained that while he was picking up his fishing gear the vessel was carried into Canadian waters by a strong wind and tide. The schooner was released after paying a fine to the Canadian government.

SUSPEND WHALING AT GRAY'S HARBOR

Plant Closing Down Shortly—
Two Whalers Have Taken
179 Mammals

Whaling operations at Gray's Harbor for this season are practically at a close, rough weather and dense fogs off the coast making it impossible for the plant to keep running much longer. According to reports received here the initial year of whaling in American waters has exceeded all the expectations of the promoters, the Canadian North Pacific Fisheries Company, of this city.

One hundred and seventy-nine mammals have been taken since operations were commenced and this total may be increased a little before the plant closes down for good. The new station, opened by the local firm, started running last spring and the two whalers, the Moran and Peterson, which were built at Seattle, were sent to Gray's Harbor. The little steamers have done exceptionally well and during one week they were successful in capturing 28 whales.

Next season operations will be commenced earlier than this year, and it is expected that additional vessels will be sent there. The waters off the American coast are said to be teeming with the valuable mammals, and had it not been for the fogs and rough weather encountered during the season the catch at the station would have been somewhat larger.

Work at the Rose Harbor, Naden Harbor, Sechart and Kyuquot stations is showing signs of slackening up and staffs are not being kept so hard to keep pace with the whaling steamers. It will not be long before all the stations in British Columbia waters have closed down for the season, and the little vessels, which chase the big game of the deep, are back in port to spend the winter. At all the stations the season has been a record one and the total catch is nearly double that of former years. Else, additional whalers have been used in carrying out the work and the mosquito fleet has kept the stations on the hump all season.

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CHARGE ENGINEER WITH NEGLIGENCE

Failed to Perform Several Obligations When Ramona Was Sinking

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 6.—As a result of the inquiry into the Ramona disaster on September 10, off Spanish Island, Federal Inspectors Thomas P. Deering and Carl Lehmers yesterday preferred charges against two employees of the steamer, Herbert A. Tucker, chief engineer, and Martin Taaf, master. Negligence on the part of a sworn officer of the United States was the specific accusation placed against Tucker, while that against Taaf will not be indicated by the inspectors.

The negligence with which the chief engineer was charged was on not closing or attempting to have closed the watertight door in the after bulkhead of the engine room to check the water coming from this direction, and in not using all possible means at his disposal in endeavoring to relieve the vessel while she was rapidly filling after striking a reef where she became a wreck.

The inspectors who comprised the board which investigated the Ramona wreck, declared at the beginning of Tucker's trial that they did not believe he could have prevented the wreck or was in any way responsible for it. The charges of negligence arose from his testimony and from that of his subordinates, which served to indicate that he had not performed several obligations which his post imposed on him.

TIDE TABLE.

Victoria, October, 1911.				
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BARQUE CELTICBURN IS PIONEER VESSEL

First Grain Vessel to Get Away
This Season—Chief Officer
Branded as Deserter

This season the honor of being the first vessel either steamer or sail, to leave the Sound for the United Kingdom loaded with a cargo of grain, belongs to the British barque Celticburn, which passed out at Cape Flattery last night. She received her cargo at Tacoma, and being the first away she has the title of being the "pioneer ship of the 1911 grain fleet." From now on the sailing vessels will be leaving the Sound, Portland and San Francisco at frequent intervals laden with wheat and flour for the United Kingdom, and some interesting races will no doubt take place between the windjammers. Each year two ships generally manage to leave some port close together and wagers are made as to which will reach their destination first. Last season's most interesting race was between the French barque Dequesne and the British ship Rhyestwood, the former winning.

The Celticburn came within an ace of losing the distinction of being the pioneer ship as the big British steamship Harpallian, which also loaded at Tacoma, is getting away to-morrow. She called here on Wednesday en route to Comox for bunker coal. Her cargo was loaded in record time, and it was believed at first that she would beat the Celticburn. She is carrying out over 8,000 tons of wheat and flour for the United Kingdom.

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STRATHLYON VISITS SEATTLE.
Loads Monster Cargo for Orient—
Other News Along Sound
City's Waterfront.

Seattle, Oct. 6.—On her first visit to this port the steamer Strathlyon of the Portland Asiatic Steamship Company, under charter to Frank Waterhouse & Co., arrived in Seattle Tuesday night. The vessel will load as part of her cargo a shipment of 15,000 sacks of flour for the Orient. She has been at Portland, where she took aboard 1,700,000 feet of lumber, and stopped at Mukilteo for a shipment of 1,400,000 feet of lumber for the Orient. The vessel also put in at Comox, where she loaded 800 tons of coal.

The charter of the barkentine John Smith and the schooner Schome and Oliver J. Olson, in the coastwise lumber carrying trade, are announced by the Shipowners' Association of the Pacific coast. The John Smith is taken at \$4.75 for cargo from Puget Sound ports to San Pedro, the Schome from Gray's Harbor to Valparaiso for orders at 50c. 6d., and the Oliver J. Olson from Gray's Harbor to Valparaiso for orders at 50c. 6d.

The steamer Toledo of the Pacific Coast & Norway Packing Company, which returned from Alaska a few days ago with a cargo of canned salmon, was towed up the White River Tuesday, where she will lay up for the winter, her charter to the Alaska Barge Company having expired.

The steamer Jeanette of the Alaska Coast Company was taken to the Hefner shipyard Tuesday for cleaning and painting.

With passengers and freight from San Francisco, the steamer M. F. Plant of the Alaska Pacific Steamship Company arrived in port Wednesday morning.

SLACK WATER—ACTIVE PASS.

October, 1911.				
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FOOTBALL MATCHES

THIS WEEK END

Two Senior and Two Second
Division—Some of the
Teams

Four football games are again on the programme for Saturday afternoon. In the senior division the Sons of England and the James Bays will clash at the Royal Athletic park, while the Wards and the Garrison lock horns at the North Ward park. In the second division the Garrison and the Wards play on the Work Point grounds and the Foresters and Oak Bays at Oak Bay. All games are to commence at 3 o'clock. Referees are being selected to-day.

Some of the teams are:

First Division
James Bays—Goal, Le Peere; full backs, Mull and Lorimer; half backs, Shanks, Ismay and Sheriff; forwards, Todd, Beash, Pilkington, Wilson and Matthews.
Garrison—Goal, Beane; full backs, Elton (captain), Willie; half backs, Vincent, Buxton and Brown; forwards, Miller, Gale, Stevens, Ward and Buxton.
Sons of England—Goal, Gaspar; full backs, Temple and Brewer; half backs, Waring, Greenhalgh and Green; forwards, Langston, Martin, Fisher, Thackeray and Atwell.

Second Division
Oak Bay—Goal, Clarke; full backs, Warnicker and C. McDonald; half backs, Shanks, McKeen and McDonald; forwards (to be chosen from), Dickinson, Wade, Alderton, Welsh, Ferris, Baker and T. Winby.
Foresters—Goal, Sanders; full backs, Petch and Maine; half backs, Barber, Fee and H. Campbell; forwards, Hobson, Howden, Burnett, Rowe and Braddon. Referees, Senior and Creed.

WORLD'S SERIES

First Game in New York—Players
Eligible—Umpires Chosen.

New York, Oct. 6.—The toss of a coin in the presence of the National Baseball commission yesterday started the making of final arrangements for the post series games of the world's championship between New York, winner of the National championship, and Philadelphia, present world's champion, and holder of the American League pennant.

New York won the toss and accordingly it was determined that the first game should be played here.

The important question of umpires was settled by the selection of William J. Klem and William Brennan, representing the National League; T. H. Connolly and William Dinson, representing the American League. Francis C. Richter and J. G. Taylor Spink were designated as official scorers.

The players eligible to participate in the world's series games by announcement of the commission to-day are:

Philadelphia—Baker, Barry Bender, Collins, Coombs, Davis, Danforth, Derrick, Hartwell, Krause, Lapp, Livingston, Lord, Martin, Morgan, McNitts, Murphy, Oldring, Plank, Strunk, Thomas.

New York—De Vore, Becker, Murray, Snodgrass, Merkle, Doyle, Fletcher, Devlin, Mathewson, Wiltse, Ames, Randall, Marquard, Latham, McGraw.

Myers, Wilson, Herzog, Drucker, Hartley, Paulette.

All games will begin at 2 p. m. and will be attended by members of the National commission and its secretary. The official ball of the National League will be used on games on National League grounds, and the American League's official ball on American League grounds. Each of the contesting clubs is required to deposit a certified cheque for \$10,000 with the secretary of the commission not later than 11 o'clock on the day of the first scheduled game.

The commission issued a special warning to players that the rule regarding conduct on the ball field would be strictly enforced. It also serves notice that under the commission's rules the winner of the world's championship will not be permitted to participate in any exhibition game this year, the victorious team being required to disband immediately after the completion of the series.

Schedule games for world's championship:

First game—New York, Saturday, October 14.
Second game—Philadelphia, Monday, October 16.
Third game—New York, Tuesday, October 17.
Fourth game—Philadelphia, Wednesday, October 18.
Fifth game—New York, October 19.
Sixth game—Philadelphia, Friday, October 20.

Umpires—For National League, Klem and Brennan; For American League, Connolly and Dinson.

BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE
At Brooklyn—R. H. E.
New York 6 8 0
Brooklyn 3 11 2
Batteries—Maxwell and Wilson; Hartley; Barker, Stein, Scharf and Miller, Erwin.
At St. Louis—R. H. E.
Chicago 8 9 1
St. Louis 2 7 3
Batteries—Smith and Graham; Willis and Wingo.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
At Philadelphia—R. H. E.
New York 0 5 0
Philadelphia 1 8 1
Batteries—Quinn and Williams; Morgan and Livingston.
At Boston—R. H. E.
Boston 11 13 1
Washington 2 7 3
Batteries—Collins and Williams; Hughes, Becker and Street.

COAST LEAGUE
At Sacramento—R. H. E.
Los Angeles 5 11 2
Sacramento 5 7 3
Batteries—Leverenz and Brooks; Hunt and Thomas.
At San Francisco—R. H. E.
San Francisco 2 8 1
Oakland 5 7 0
Batteries—Moskman, Meikle and Schmidt; Carman, Flater and Mitze.
At Los Angeles—R. H. E.
Vernon 3 7 2
Portland 6 11 2
Batteries—Carson, Gipe and Hogan; Henderson, Steen and La Longe.

Ridicule, which chiefly arises from pride in a selfish passion, is but at best a gross pleasure, too rough an entertainment for those who are highly polished and refined.—Lord Kames.

FASHIONS IN GAMES.

The Passing of Roller Skates and Ping-Pong.

The roller skating-rink craze seems to have almost entirely disappeared, not only in London, but in the provinces. Empty skating rinks are on sale or to let in all directions in England, and not a few of them have been turned into picture theatres or concert halls. The final blow to roller skating was, perhaps, given by the tremendous heat of the present summer. Even the pier entertainment providers were forced to realise that rolling round and round on tiny wheels ceased to be enjoyable when the temperature registered 90 degrees in the shade.

It is not, however, unprecedented for intense predilection for a certain kind of pastime to have its gradual subsidence and cessation. There have been several previous epochs of roller skating, notably in 1877 and 1878, when all fashionable London was on little wheels, and everybody, from duke's son to dustman's son, talked of nothing but outside edges and grape-vine splits.

Perhaps the infrequency of ice skating in this country gives the periodical impetus to roller skating. The latter diversion has for nearly forty years never been entirely absent from current amusements, and one or two rinks in different parts of the country will still be able to continue in existence. There is not likely to be any competition near them.

The decline of roller skating for the present synchronises with the threatened revival of that much criticised pastime of ping-pong. A few years ago it seemed as if the whole world was busy chasing little white balls over a low net stretched across a flat table. Wherever you went there was ping-pong. It was played alike in the mansion of the wealthy, in the Bayswater villa, in the palatial hotel, and in the suburban inn. It became more than a craze—it became a positive nuisance. It crept into our national jokes and added to our idiom language. "Do you ping?" asked Angelina in the pauses of the valise. "I—aw, I have ponged a little," replied Fitznoodle, of the Guards' Society verse-writers, revelled in "pong," as a rhyme to "song," while "ping" constantly did similar duty to "wing."

Then, all of a sudden, ping-pong ceased to be. It did not even linger in its department. It just left off and disappeared. Ruin faced more than one manufacturer of ping-pong balls and bats and tables, rash enough to suppose that the vogue would be permanent; the dust of a store-attic received the once prized implements of the discarded game. The fall was as rapid as a South American revolution.

Several are the reasons given for this fickleness in public favour of both roller skating and ping-pong. Perhaps, as regards the decline of the former pastime, the explanation given recently to one of our representatives by a manufacturer of roller skates is illustrative. "It costs too much to re-

main continually in favor. I am not including fashionable people. They always cease doing anything, no matter how much they like it, directly it becomes, as they term it, 'common.' Berkeley-square drops a fashion as soon as it reaches Hammersmith-broadway, and even Bayswater shrinks from continuing a mode when it is being followed by North Kensington. Consequently the reign of roller skating was really sustained entirely by the 'dashing thirty-shilling-a-week clerk or shopman and the nice girl who had promised to marry him when he got his rise.

"Those sixpences for admission, 'sixpences for skates, tips for eager attendants, and occasional revels of lemonade gradually began to be felt, and equally gradually the attendance at this rink or that began to fall off until it ceased almost entirely. Now, if it could be made possible to charge a fee of twopence only for admission and one penny for the use of skates I believe roller skating would become and remain a national pastime, and mainly on account of the excellent exercise it affords. Any covered shed would serve the purpose, and so would an asphalt floor. It was those elaborate skating palaces that were built, and the expensive hard-wood flooring, that made skating so expensive not to mention the many uniformed attendants, and not infrequently, the importunate and intrusive skating instructors. A pair of skates costs, say, at most, 15s. 6d. If a penny were charged for the hire by the hour, it would yield quite an ample income. The fee of twopence only would never be begrudged by the necessarily economical.

"As for ping-pong, that cannot be regarded otherwise as a come-and-go craze. It came and went out, principally, I believe, because nobody had invented a means of picking up the balls without continuous bending of the back—a most wearisome proceeding. If, as there is reason to believe, ping-pong is to be revived, it will soon go out again—for the very same back-bending reason."

DOG'S SAGACITY.

Seven Lives Saved From Fire in Marylebone.

A recent case in the East End, where the lives of a family were saved from fire by a cat was paralleled on a recent Sunday morning in a fire at a hairdresser's shop in Paradise street, High street, Marylebone. In this case, however, the life-saver was a dog, a small black-and-tan terrier.

The details of the incident were told to a press representative by the owner of the shop, Mr. R. J. Williams. He went to bed, he said, about eleven o'clock on Saturday night, sleeping in a room behind the shop. The dog was left asleep in the shop, but owing to the warmth of the night the door communicating with the rear room was left open. Shortly before 1 a. m. the hairdresser was awakened by the dog clawing and biting at his throat. Rising, he found the room full of flames, so he hurriedly flung on some clothes and ran upstairs to rouse the

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other occupants of the house. On the floor just above the shop were a married couple, and on the second floor were two elderly women. Mr. Williams finally roused the occupants of the basement, a woman and a two-year-old girl. All were able to make their escape into the street. The alarm was given to the fire brigade, who soon got the flames under, although the shop and the room behind were burned out and the rest of the house was damaged. It seems clear that, had the dog not wakened its master when it did, the seven persons in the house would all have been burned or suffocated.

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THE JUBILEE YEAR OF THE IRONCLADS

Pioneers of Super-Dreadnoughts Had Keels Laid Fifty Years Ago

The present year marks the jubilee of the entrance of the armored ship into the sea-going fleets of the world. In 1861 the first ironclad battleship, the *Warrior*, was commissioned for service, and the era of naval construction thus inaugurated has proved the most progressive, the most expansive, and, incidentally, the most expensive in the whole history of shipbuilding, says the London Daily Mail.

The total number of ironclad ships launched for the British navy since the pioneer of super-dreadnoughts was laid down at Blackwall in 1861 is one hundred and eighty-six, and they have varied in size from the 2,550 tons of the "masted turret ships" *Scorpion* and *Wivern*, laid down at Birkenhead for the Southern States during the American Civil War and seized by the British government, to the 23,500 tons of the *Lion* and *Princess Royal*, "super-dreadnought" cruisers, now completing for sea. The increase in size has been continuous, but by no means steady. In the first ten years of the ironclad era, the thirty-four ships of this type launched for the British fleet averaged 6,403 tons; for the second period the average was 7,015 tons; and for the third, 9,230 tons, so that in the first thirty years there was an increase of only 2,800 tons in the average.

The closing decade of the nineteenth century, however, saw a very considerable advance, for the ships launched in this period averaged 13,475 tons. During the last ten years 16,247 tons has been the average. It will easily be realized, too, that the latter figure gives but an inadequate idea of the stage of progress that has been actually reached, since dreadnoughts—the great ironclads—did not appear until 1903. If the last ten years (1902 to 1911 inclusive) be divided into quinquennial periods, it will be found that the ships launched in the first five years averaged 13,420 tons, while those that will have been launched between 1907 and the end of the present year average no less than 23,502 tons.

Great as the increase in size has been, however, it is nothing when compared with the increase in fighting power that has accompanied it. For nearly twenty years after the *Warrior* was built our ships continued to be armed with muzzle-loading guns, but there was a steady increase in the size and power of these weapons. The heaviest gun mounted in the *Warrior* was the 9-inch 12-ton gun, firing a shell of 256 lbs. In 1868 there appeared a 16-inch 18-ton weapon, firing a 410-lb. shell, and this was followed in 1870 by a 12-inch 25-ton, in 1873 by a 12.5-inch 33-ton, the weights of the respective shells being 614 lb. and 820 lbs., and in 1876 the four of these last were mounted in the old *Infexible*.

When the muzzle loader thus reached the climax of its development, it was finally displaced by the breech-loader, which had been forging ahead for some years. It would be impossible to enumerate all the calibres and patterns of this gun that have been made and mounted in our ships, but if we take the principal guns alone we shall get a very good idea of the enormous strides that have been made in the manufacture of ordnance. The earliest pattern of 12-inch breech-loader was 27 feet long, weighed 41 tons and fired a shell of 714 lbs. weight at an initial velocity of 1,382 feet per second. The gun gradually increased in length and weight until the latest types, such as are mounted in the *Hercules* and *Colossus*, are 51.5 feet long, weigh 66 tons, and fire a shell of 820 lbs. at a velocity of 2,010 feet per second.

This, however, does not mark the extent of our progress. The *Orion*, now nearly ready for her trials, will carry ten 13.5-inch guns, each of which is about 52 feet long, weighs 76 tons, and fires a 1,250-lb. shell.

But gun-power is measured principally in muzzle energy—that is, the force with which the shell leaves the bore. In the case of the *Warrior*'s heaviest guns, this force was 2,685 foot-tons; for the 86-ton muzzle-loaders of the *Infexible*, it was 26,530 foot-tons; and for the earliest 12-inch breech-loaders, 18,050 foot-tons. The old 13.5-inch guns, mounted in the ships of the Royal Sovereign class had a muzzle-energy of 25,250 tons.

For our latest 12-inch guns the energy is 33,400 foot-tons, and for the new 13.5-inch 49,000 foot-tons. At a range of 2,500 yards the *Warrior*'s guns could just penetrate nine inches of wrought iron; at 3,000 yards the new 13.5 can penetrate 26 inches of Krupp steel which is equal to 7 inches of wrought iron. At a range of six miles the new gun can break through armor which the guns of fifty years ago could barely have penetrated at the muzzle.

Needless to say, armor has improved as well as the gun, the one having urged on the other. In fact it is the competition between these two, representing the attack and the defence, which has been responsible for practically the whole of the increase in tonnage. From the *Warrior* to the *Dreadnought* the percentage of displacement accounted for by the guns increased from 3.5 to 18, and by the armor from 14.1 to 28; so that these two elements now absorb almost a half of the full displacement of the ship.

The resisting power of armor, however, has not increased as rapidly as the attacking power of the gun. Our early ironclads were protected by wrought iron. This was succeeded in the eighties by compound iron—wrought iron with a face of hardened steel. Then came Harvey's steel, which is now almost universally used, the only notable exception being Italy. Krupp steel is equal to about three

but it will have been seen from the figures already given that the power of the gun has increased considerably more than three times, since the days of wrought-iron armor.

It is interesting to note that out of 186 ironclad ships that will have been launched for the navy by the end of this year, 128 still may be found in the navy list.

The total expenditure on the navy in the ironclad era amounts to \$950,497,504, and the total tonnage of the armored ships launched from 1860 to the end of the present year is 2,217,854.

ANTI-LAUREL POETRY.

An interesting indication of the kind of campaign conducted against the Liberal party in portions of Ontario has come to light in the shape of a pamphlet entitled, "Who's doing to Ruin This Country?" Designed for circulation in those parts of the province where Protestant sentiment is most militant and the Orange organization strong. The pamphlet consisted mainly of two sets of verses, one a supposed "Special Order" from His Holiness the Pope, and the other "Canada's Reply to the Pope at Rome." A few extracts from each duty are as follows:

SPECTACULAR FROM HIS HOLINESS THE POPE.

Down on your knees, Ontario! and make obeisance low.
To me, your sovereign Lord and King, as Canada shall know.
Too long your recalcitrant Protestants have scorned my holy plans.
But now your haughty populace must bow to my commands.

Close up your schools, Ontario! and I will teach you young.
Your English cannot be compared with the old Latin tongue.
You educate them far too well, you make them sharp and wise.
And what you call "the sins of Rome," you keep before their eyes.

Hearken to me, all Canada! Sir Wilfrid is my son.
All that a son could do for me, he verily has done.
His phrase are laid, his men told off—and soon with one great rush
The enemies of Holy Church, for ever we will crush.

CANADA'S REPLY TO THE POPE OF ROME.

Ye Protestants of Canada arise in all your might.
Your liberties are threatened; grave dangers are in sight.
The sky is dark, the clouds are black, and soon the thunder's roar
Will echo loud, while lightnings flash from instant shore to shore.

The storm blows straight from Rome!
Will he succeed? shall we submit to be the slaves of Rome—
Shall we allow her priests and nuns to regulate the home?

To teach a pagan man and wife, and let the children go?
Ten thousand voices cry aloud emphatically "NO."
We will not bow to Rome!

We treat with scorn and deep contempt the Pope's decrees.
And fling the answer in her face—"Young Canada is Free!"
We stand beneath the Union Jack, ready to face the foe—
To chase the tyrant from the land and let the world know.
We do not bow to Rome.

LORD STRATHCONA.

Lord Strathcona, the wonder of whose vigorous vitality never palls upon his admiring fellow-citizens, is again with us after a trans-Atlantic voyage so far above his hundredth birthday that he himself does not care to venture its definite enumeration. Advancing years have apparently as little power to limit his activities as they have to diminish the honor and admiration in which he is held by all Canadians. We have had our full proportion of great men who have won the sincere respect of their fellow-citizens, irrespective of politics, and whose achievements have justified the loyal and unquestioning adherence of their respective parties; but no Canadian—and this is no depreciation of the others—has ever possessed in the same measure, the love of all classes, all sections and all parties in Canada as does Lord Strathcona. As long as he is willing to serve Canada as Lord High Commissioner in London—and we know that his willingness to serve is as self-sacrificing as it is unselfish—the people of this Dominion are honored as well as benefited by his service to an extent we do not perhaps fully appreciate.—*Montreal Star*.

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ALL-BRITISH LINE TO INDIA PROPOSED

Plan to Build From Russian Frontier to British-Indian Territory

The proposal which has been under consideration lately in St. Petersburg and London for the construction of a railway from the Mediterranean to India, mainly by means of British and Russian capital, is threatened with a rival scheme. The champion of the latter is Mr. Charles E. D. Black, who was formerly an official in the geographical department of the India Office, but is now on the retired list. He has made the theme of a continuous and direct British railway from Egypt to India his own, and has aroused considerable interest in the proposed Anglo-Indian line among the mercantile community of this country generally by his lectures and letters on the subject. It is announced that he is to bring the matter before the Royal United Service Institution in White Hall at the opening meeting of the session in an exhaustive paper, entitled "An All-British Railway to India."

Under the Anglo-Russian project, it was proposed to make a direct line through Persia from the most southern station on the Russian railway system, Baku, via Seistan to Nushki, on the Anglo-Indian system. It was intended that the main line should follow the shortest route, with branches to the Persian Gulf and to Teheran.

This railway—which it was said would cost \$90,500,000 to build, or, with interest on capital during the four years of construction, \$105,000,000—was not to interfere with the Baghdad railway already under construction. Although the interests of Russia, England, and Persia (the two first as owners of the two ends of the line, and the latter as the owner of the territory on which the line develops), must be predominant, yet France, Germany and Belgium interests, and the interests of any other group that might find it convenient to invest, would be heartily welcomed. In this way the scheme would bring together in the Near East interests which might otherwise compete.

This is the plan which so far has held the field, and which, although it has not yet crystallized into a definite undertaking, has been the subject of "conversations" and questions in parliament.

Mr. Black, whose knowledge of the geographical conformation of this part of the world is perhaps unrivalled, and who, naturally, takes a wide view of the interests of Great Britain, contemplates a railway from Egypt to the Indian frontier by way of Northern Arabia and Central Persia. The great recommendation of his plan would be the shortening of the journey between England and India, which would be effected. It is estimated that nearly six whole days would be saved—an economy of time, it is alleged, far greater than any which could be secured by the adoption of any other route.

The proposed railway would start from the northern end of the Suez Canal at Port Said, and, for the most part, running due east by the Gulf of Akaba, El Jaul, Basra, Shiraz, Kerman, Eastern Persia, and Seistan, would reach the Indian frontier, and join on to the present Indian railway system at Nushki. One of the difficulties for which provision would have to be made in the event of Mr. Black's plan being seriously taken in hand would be overcoming the predatory methods of the Arab and Selman tribes, which would be made to wreck the line and loot the trains, a possible danger which was pointed out when it was proposed to run a line from Gaza, in the extreme south of Syria, across the Arabian desert in almost a straight line to the Persian Gulf opposite the island of Bahrain. Two suggestions have been put forward for obviating the Bedouin danger: one the sending of an armed train in front of every mail train, and the other the subsidizing of the tribes along the line to act as a kind of police. In this way protection might be secured until such time as towns and villages arose along the line of route and, with them, the safety which comes in the train of civilization.

Another difficulty is the scarcity of water, but this, it is said, can be overcome by sinking artesian wells. There is abundance of water to be found at a small depth. The length of the railway as projected by Mr. Black will be somewhere about 2,000 miles. The saving in time which would be effected by proceeding in this way overland instead of by taking the sea journey from Port Said to India will be gathered when it is remembered that the distance to be traversed by sea, roughly speaking, is 3,050 miles.

At the India Office the idea seems to prevail that, although only in the air at present, a trans-Arabia and Persia railway is a thing to be desired and a thing not unlikely to be taken into the region of practical politics in the not very distant future. It is held in some quarters that the scheme is possible, side by side, or, at any rate, that a modification of the two might be adopted.

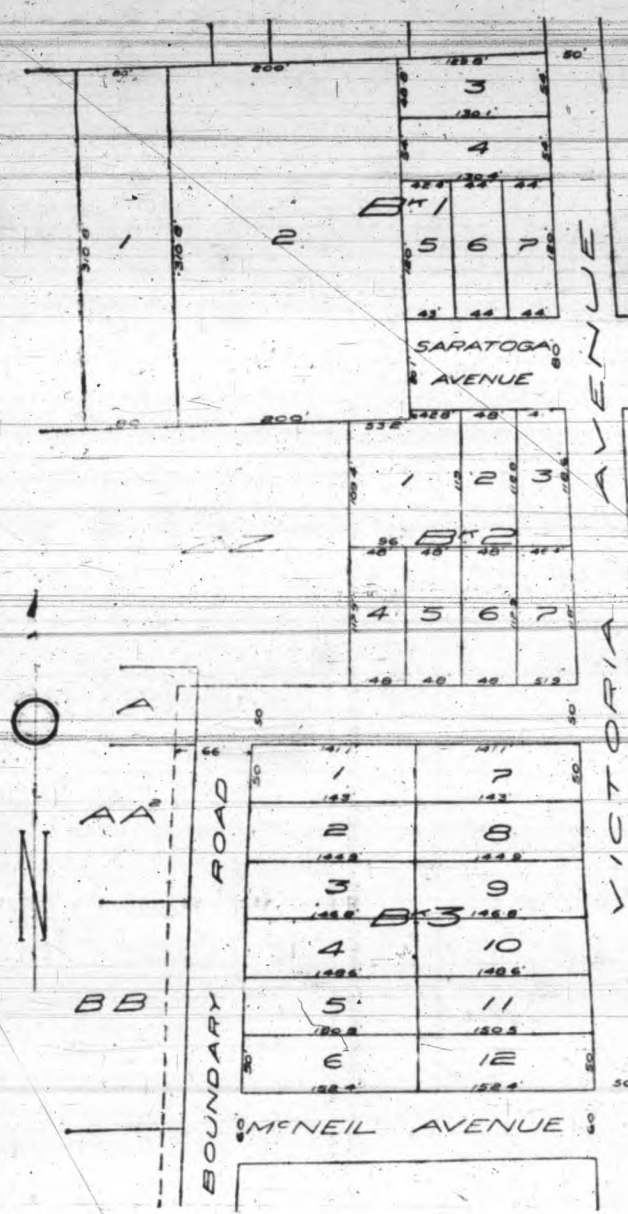
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Hamburg harbor makes its appeal as a magnet for the world's shipping, and out of the harbor are other fleets of steamers, clustered in compact files, as if they could not find room to dock. And by far the greater number of them fly the German flag. The game of world politics is being played to more purpose among these wonderfully industrial docks and quays than in the chancelleries of Europe and these weather-beaten steamers and sailing ships are quietly extending the influence and power of their nation to an extent not generally understood.

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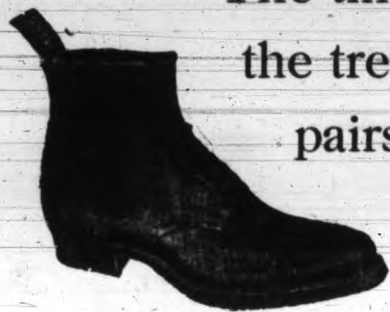
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every man of them. They take fiddle, trombone, cornet, and according to sea with them, and it does the heart good to hear one of these forecastle orchestras, perhaps twenty strong, playing lustily and with no small skill wherever these ships cast anchor. American boys forsake the sea largely because American ships were floating hells, an ugly truth too often glossed over in discussing our lost merchant marine.—Ralph D. Palme in the October Scribner.

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METHODIST DIVINES URGE CHURCH UNION

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Subjects

Toronto, Oct. 6.—Continuing its review of the accomplishments of Methodism during the last ten years and the discussion of problems which now confront the church, the fourth Ecumenical conference of the denomination last evening turned its attention to foreign missions. The speakers emphasized as vitally important the necessity of making the spirituality of the present meeting more intensive, instead of seeking primarily the lengthening of membership rolls.

Church union or "denominational synthesis," was urged in the debating. It is held that in no other department of the church work would its economy of service be felt more than that of foreign missions.

That the church universal is not near at hand, however, despite the unions effected by Methodists and some other denominations in Australia and elsewhere, was the assertion of Rev. W. H. Fitchett of the Methodist church of Australia.

"The universal church," said Mr. Fitchett, "has not yet been built on earth. It stands in the realm of faith but not in the realm of history, and I doubt if this gathering realizes how distant it is."

Rev. Simpson, Johnson of London, secretary of the Wesleyan Methodist conference, however, noted encouraging signs. "The people everywhere are seeking opportunities of working together," he said. He noted a great revival of interest in foreign missions.

Rev. Dr. Lucecock of Kansas City, talked on Methodism and Christian fellowship. Through the fellowship of experience truths became illuminous as in no other way. Methodism was to be a transmitter rather than a terminal.

Rev. Dr. Bray, college president from Alabama (colored), raised enthusiasm when he addressed the conference on

Methodism as a joyous religion. He advocated preaching a plain, simple gospel that all could understand. The discussion following the addresses swung on the note of joyousness, a description of which by the colored president called out prolonged applause.

Bishop Hess of Nashville, said that the true church was that which contained true believers. No one organization contained them all. "There never was," he said, "a greater piece of nonsense taught than that of one universal-visible church descending from the apostle by actual mechanical succession." The only true succession was that of life and thought. He believed in unions that grew naturally, not those that had to be forced. He did not know of anybody that would undertake to hand over two million Methodists to another body.

Rev. Mr. Watson of London, army and navy chaplain, described the joyous religion among the sailors, and how King George when in India as Prince of Wales, had expressed his pleasure in hearing them sing "Blessed Assurance."

H. L. Cloud, a Cherokee Indian from Oklahoma, told of the joyous effects of Methodism among his people.

Dr. Mason (colored), threw the audience into cheers in saying he believed the colored race would yet have a place among men in America. They had never whined and were not going to.

The negro, he held, had needed a better moral and ethical training along with manual education.

FAKE SNAILS FOR FOOD.
Snails are used for human food to such an extent in France and elsewhere that artificial snails are now upon the market in France. The artificial snail is one that had held a true snail is taken and filled with a bit of the lung of a healthy beef, which is cut into the desired form—the corkscrew or spiral shape—by machinery. The mouth of the shell is then sealed with a coating of heated fat. These are sold to the restaurant keepers, the genuine shells being used over and over again. When the impostion is properly cooked and served the fraud is almost impossible of detection and are probably much more wholesome.

A cheerful face is nearly as good for an invalid as healthy weather, Franklin.

FIVE CENTURY UNIVERSITY.

St. Andrews of Dundee Built Half
Millennium Ago.

McGill will celebrate its first hundred years of existence shortly; but in Scotland they have universities which count their age in generations rather than years. Principal Peterson, of McGill, is now on his way home from the celebration of the five hundred anniversary of the University of St. Andrews, with which is now affiliated the University College of Dundee, in whose less classic shades he gained his first experience of principality and college management.

It may be, says Robert Macbray, in the London Daily Mail, in these great days of golf, that the small Scottish city is better known the world over for its famous links and as the home of that "Royal and Ancient" Club, the rules of which have become the laws of the game wherever it is played. Providence has placed, as some alliterative person has observed, learning and links together.

St. Andrews is but a little city, its population being something less than 8,000; so far as its university is concerned, however, it has annexed to itself Dundee, with twenty times more people, and in this way may be said to be much larger than it looks. Time was when St. Andrews was bigger and in the far more important position than the bustling town on the farther side of the Tay, when, indeed, it was almost, and sometimes altogether, the most important town in Scotland. What Canterbury was to England St. Andrews was to the northern kingdom; it was the ecclesiastical capital of the country under its archbishops—one of whom, it may be remembered, when other things were forgot, was brutally murdered on Magnus Moor. It had a cathedral, a great priory, several monasteries and its "Palace of Bishops."

And in such a "city in the Middle Ages" the college and the school commonly went with the cathedral, as, for instance, Christ church at Oxford. In 1411 Henry de Wardlaw, Bishop of St. Andrews—it was not then the university—founded the university, taking as its model that of Paris, although a "Schola Illustris," as it was described in contemporary writings, had been in existence long before. Papal bulls confirmed the bishop's charter to the university, and the king, James I, became its patron. But it was not until 1492 that the first chancellor, that of St. Salvator, was established.

Archbishop Alexander Stuart founded the second college at St. Leonard's in 1512. Its statutes ordained, among other things which strike a modern ear as quaint, that anyone who desired to be received into the college must "approach the principal beseeching on bended knees, for the love of our Lord Jesus Christ, to be admitted to that university life in those good old days were also shown by a statute of the third college, St. Mary's, founded in 1538 by Archbishop James Beaton, uncle of Cardinal Beaton. It was to the effect that no holidays whatever were to be allowed, because "they only fostered the avarice of provisors, encouraged the levity of youth, and added to the irksomeness of obedience." In later and less strenuous times this was found more than flesh and blood could stand. First there was a month's vacation, then one of four months, and finally one of six.

After the Reformation St. Mary's became a theological college exclusively, while the other colleges devoted themselves to "humanistic and tawdry philosophic." In 1747 St. Salvator's and St. Leonard's were united, and henceforth were known as the "United College." Buildings of St. Leonard's were abandoned and those of St. Salvator's restored and made sufficient to accommodate the students of both. The edifice in which the United College was housed until near the middle of last century, when the present fine structure replaced it, was of so unattractive an appearance that Dr. Chalmers said that it might be "mistaken for an old cotton mill." The last addition to the number of the colleges was University College, Dundee, which in 1897 was locally affiliated to and made "to form a part of" the University of St. Andrews.

In the five centuries of its existence the university has had many ups and downs. It is now in a more flourishing state than in any previous period. As late as the middle of the eighteenth century its students had declined to a mere handful; in 1749 it had only five matriculants. During the last ten years it has had an average of over 500 matriculated students; in the year 1908-9 it had an attendance of close on 600; for the preceding ten years the average was 217. There are several reasons for this increasing success.

With the other Scottish universities St. Andrews has shared the fruitfulness of streams of gold that have flowed from the great Carnegie trust. Dundee, which contributes more than 200 to the total, has a good deal to do with the growing prosperity of the university—as have also, it should be said, the ladies. St. Andrews opened wide its gates to women some twenty years ago, and every since it has been a favorite place of theirs—so much so that nearly one-half of the students at present are women. A writer in the Scotsman the other day plaintively remarked that "there is a real danger of the oldest university of Scotland becoming, some would say degenerating into, a university for women alone," so popular is it with them.

Very different, of course, is the University of St. Andrews now from what it was even a hundred years ago—in the days of the "old cotton mill." It is in every respect a well-equipped, well-organized modern university, with all that diversity of studies found nowadays in similar seats of learning. The three colleges may be said in a way to specialize—St. Mary's in theology, the "United" in arts, the "University" (Dundee) in science and medicine. The general staff includes 3 principals, 28 professors, 32 lecturers and 25 assistants, a relatively large body considering the number of students.

Canon T. B. Dickins, LL.D., who has resigned the rural deanery of Warwick, has completed fifty years as Vicar of Kenilworth. His church was built in 1381, and has been its only incumbent.

GOODENOUGH ISLANDERS.

Cannibal Folklore and Customs to Be Studied.

No little interest has been aroused by the announcement in the London Standard of the early departure of an anthropological expedition, headed by Mr. David Jenness, of Balliol, and organized by the Oxford University authorities, to the little known Goodenough Island, in the D'Entrecasteaux group, near the coast of British New Guinea. Though there is a mission station on the coast the interior has never been thoroughly explored, for the sufficient reason that the one or two attempts already made ended in disaster. The men in the interior are given to cannibalism, and this fact adds a distinct element of peril to the present enterprise.

It is "one of the newest and least frequented provinces of the Empire," to quote the words of Sir William Macgregor, an ex-lieutenant-governor, and Mr. Jenness and his party have before them an unusually fruitful field of investigation. Some idea of the character of the people may be gathered from the fact that in the maps of some hundreds of years ago what is known as British New Guinea was marked "Islands of the Bay People." Goodenough Island is mountainous, and in the group in which it is placed there are many anchorages and harbors which offer shelter from hurricanes, and there are many varieties in character, customs, and modes of life among the people. The islands contain new birds, new insects, new plants, new rocks, and new tongues to study.

In these lands of the lotus flower, the natives are laughter-loving and contented, and have singularly beautiful eyes. Their name of Papuan from the Malay, meaning "frizzled," or woolly haired, indicates their love of adornment. Negrooid in type, their ethnological affinities have not yet been satisfactorily settled, but tribes allied to them have been traced through Timor, Flores, and the highlands of the Malay Peninsula to the Deccan of India. Credulous in the extreme, they place faith in omens and sorcery, and believe in spirits, generally evil, and ancestor worship. They have no recognized form of government and no religious faith. They paint their bodies and tattoo their girls, and they practice a ruthless vendetta.

One of the most remarkable features of their communal system is what is known as the "Kintia." Each Kintia is composed of those born about the same time, and in principle it is not unlike the Freemasonry of the white man. The men of the same Kintia work, hunt and feast together. The Kintia is again split up into sections known as Erimas, a close fellowship of all the Kintia men belonging to the same settlement. In battle the Erimas men always fight together, an integral unit of the greater Kintia. The only difference, indeed, which can be found between this curious, almost tribal communism and the ancient Anglo-Saxon system of the village and the tribe is that the Anglo-Saxon followed his

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chief. The Papuan has no chief to follow. Their cannibalism, where it still exists, is largely based on vengeance, though in some cases the body of a man has been eaten by his relations as an expression of affection. In some instances, moreover, it is stated the custom still prevails by which no man may espouse a maid until he can produce a human skull to prove that he has "killed his man."

Professor Seligman, who, with Dr. Haddon, visited Torres Strait for the University of Cambridge in 1895-6, has brought to light some remarkable folktales in addition to a valuable contribution to the knowledge of Totemism amongst the Papuans. Amongst these stories is one which has for its subject the discovery of cooking and incidentally displays a remarkable affinity to the immortal dissertation of Charles Lamb on the origin of roast pork. Another tale of Goodenough Bay deserves repetition. It tells of a green-tailed lizard which was fishing with a bird. When the fishing was over they covered their haul with leaves and went upstream to wash. "Try how long you can dive and hold your breath," the lizard said to the bird. The bird dived, but could not hold his breath, and came up at once. "What a short-breath you have," the lizard scornfully retorted. "Watch me." And he dived in, but when he got out of sight beneath the water he swam back to the fish and ate the bird's share, covering the bones with leaves. The bird, unsuspecting, took his bones home, and had to go supperless to bed. The same trick was played on him the next day, but the day after the bird put a spring in the water, and the lizard was caught. There are many such stories full of quaint fancy, almost all, like the fables of Aesop, bearing an obvious moral.

Others, though naive and simple, certainly suggest a likeness to Mr. Kipling's "Just So" stories. There is, for instance, the tale of the man who by a trick stole a cock for its brilliant plumage. The other birds flew after him, but he laid a curse on them. "If you attack me," he threatened, "you will never be able to fly again, and will be forced to crawl or walk forever." A cassowary, bolder than the rest, continued the pursuit, and that is why, the inhabitants of Goodenough Island declare to this day, the cassowary can

only run away when attacked. The romance of the youth who slew the great pig, an ogre which devastated the countryside, resembles our own story of St. George and the dragon.

And, again, there is an element of humor in some of their ancient legends, as witness the adventure of the man with the "game" leg and the man with the good leg. They went to the gardens to work one day, and the sound man leered at the man with the bad leg. "Supposing the H.M. people were to come down and surprise us. What could you do?" he asked. "Why, I should run," said the other. "I'd like to see you," his friend retorted with a laugh. In the garden they went to sleep and were awakened by the sound of the H.M. folk rushing down upon them. The man with the game leg hobbled off to safety, but his companion, who had been sitting on his leg, found it was "asleep," and as soon as he stood up he fell down again, and was overaken and killed and eaten.

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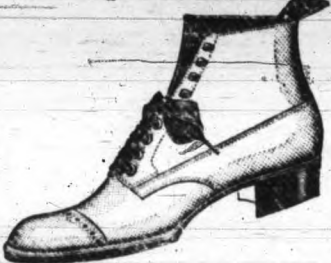
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TECUMSEHS HOPE TO LIFT THE CUP

HOME AND FIELD HAVE BEEN SHIFTED ABOUT

Charlie Quarrie Thinks He Can Overcome Vancouver Now

Vancouver, Oct. 6.—In a last effort to lift the Minto mug, Manager Charlie Quarrie will send out a rearranged Tecumseh team against the Vancouver champions at Recreation park to-morrow afternoon. The Indian home and field has been entirely shifted around and the Tecumseh leader hopes for success.

"Hopes" is used advisedly, for deep down in his heart Manager Quarrie is convinced that he is up against the best team in the world. Charlie is not a quitter, however, and neither are his players, and they believe that by pairing the teams off differently to the last game they have a chance to win out. And they are taking that chance.

Neil Felker, who played centre for the Tecumsehs in the last game, has been moved back to second home, and Fred Rowntree, the speediest fielder against the Indians, will be pitted against George Matheson, Vancouver's fleet-footed centre. The home has been entirely remodelled, Quarrie moving from third to inside, and McGregor, the outside home going out next to Rowntree. McDougall moves from inside home to first, Dolly Durkin playing alongside the manager. The shift will give the Tecumsehs considerable more speed in the field. That was where the Indians fell down in the last game and Manager Quarrie realized it. The Indians concluded their training yesterday and will rest up to-day. They are hoping for a nice day to-morrow so that they may meet their conquerors of a week ago on an even footing.

President Con Jones will play the same team as in the other game, with a slight change on the defence. Billy West looked after the veteran Dolly Durkin last week so well that Billy will again have the job. That means he will play cover-point and Harry Pickering will move out to first defence. The players are satisfied that they can take the measure of the Tecumsehs any time and they are going to pile up a score to-morrow if possible.

The challengers will be tendered a banquet to-morrow evening at the Dutch Grill by the Vancouver Lacrosse Club, when covers will be laid for about seventy guests.

The dinner will take place immediately

ately following the lacrosse game. Having five goals to work on to-morrow, President Con Jones is not afraid to go ahead with the arrangements for the banquet. Twice already this season he has arranged banquets of a similar nature and the New Westminster lacrosse team stepped in and spoiled everything by trimming the Vancouver team.

Sunday morning the teams will go over to Victoria together and look over the Capital City, playing there on Monday afternoon. They will return here on Tuesday and the Tecumsehs will immediately start for the east.

CARGO OF OAK LOGS REACHES PORTLAND

Japanese Steamer Shintsu Maru Brings Heavy Shipment From Japan

Portland, Ore., Oct. 6.—Weighted down to a draft of 25 feet by her cargo of 1,700,000 feet of hewn oak logs, the Japanese steamer Shintsu Maru has arrived in port. The cargo aboard the Shintsu Maru is the largest of the sort ever brought to Portland. Some of the shippers contend that it out-ranks in weight any log cargo ever taken to a Pacific coast port. It came from Otaru, Japan, and is consigned to the Pacific Lumber & Manufacturing Company.

The steamer began discharging her heavy burden to-day. The company has purchased a similar cargo in Japan, and will import it as soon as the necessary tonnage can be engaged.

On the outward trip the Shintsu Maru will take on a cargo of Oregon fir for Shanghai. She was chartered for this purpose prior to her arrival by the China Import & Export Lumber Company. She is a big carrier, and will clear with 3,500,000 feet.

The steamer is expected to be ready to leave for the Far East before the end of the month.

WILL SOUND BORDEN.

London, Oct. 6.—The Tariff Reform League has decided not to support any Unionist candidates unless they accept not only the full trade programme but also the policy of colonial preference. Premier-elect Borden is to be sounded by a prominent tariff reformer now in the Dominion as to the possibility of eliminating corn and meat taxation and concentrating upon taxes derived from imported manufactures.

To test the speed of projectiles driven by modern high-power explosives a scientist has perfected a chronoscope which measures time to the millionth of a second.

DELUGE IN WISCONSIN.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Oct. 6.—Two dams went out here to-day and one at Bloomer, and the country is flooded in every direction. The Chippewa river has risen eight feet in the last ten hours and is overflowing its banks. Two thousand feet of the main track of the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie railroad, eight miles west of here, has been washed out, and there is also a bad washout near Colfax and landslides in cuts near Albertville, which have covered the track. Two bridges near Stanley and one at Owen went out in the flood.

This is the heaviest deluge experienced along the Chippewa river since January 1904. Several big dams on Duncan creek have gone out.

MINING MERGER.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 6.—The abandonment of the proposed merger of the Calumet and Hecla Mining Company with nine subsidiaries, Michigan companies, was officially announced just before the close of the stock market to-day. The reasons assigned for the action by the directors is the uncertainty as to when the final decision will be rendered on other suits pending in respect to the merger.

RAILWAY WASHOUTS.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 6.—More than three inches of rain have fallen in the last 24 hours in St. Paul and vicinity, and reports of washouts on railroads are coming from various points. The total precipitation during the last week has been 7.13 inches.

With the exception of the transcontinental lines, all railroads report being badly crippled by washouts and their telegraph wires are down.

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE.

Victoria, Oct. 6.	
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R. & O. Nav. Co.	116. 00
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Chicago, Oct. 6.	
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Low.	Close.
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Dec.	102. 102 102 102
May	100. 100 100 100
Corn	64. 64 64 64
Dec.	64. 64 64 64
May	64. 64 64 64
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Cash prices—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, 100 1/2; No. 2 Northern, 97 1/2; No. 3 Northern, 95; No. 4, 92 1/2; No. 5, 88; No. 6, 86; Feed No. 2, 47. Oats—No. 1 W. 43; No. 2 W. 40 1/2. Extra No. 1 Feed, 40 1/2; No. 2 Feed, 38. Barley—No. 3, 72; No. 4, 61. Rejected 55. Feed 50.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Oct. 6.	
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METHODIST CHURCH SHOWS GREAT GAINS

Optimism is the Prevailing Spirit Among Delegates to Ecumenical Conference

Toronto, Oct. 6.—The Ecumenical Methodist convention yesterday took a survey of the accomplishments, status and prospects of a world-wide Methodism as reported by veteran workers and observers. In general it found many facts which gratified the delegates. In particular it was brought face to face with problems of admitted difficulty, but optimism continued to be the prevailing spirit among the representatives gathered here from the four quarters of the globe.

The western section, comprising Methodist churches in the United States, Canada and Japan, reported a net membership increase during the past decade, while the eastern section, covering churches in Great Britain, Ireland, France, South Africa, Australia and other mission fields, showed a loss of membership.

Church union was prominent in the discussions and considerable gains in its advocates and its membership were noted. Nearly all the speakers who pointed out problems suggested possible methods of solving them.

Special interest was shown in the address of the Rev. S. Ogata, of the Japan Methodist church, who reported remarkable progress of the denomination in his country since the merging of three Methodist churches, in one about four years ago. Nothing was more perplexing to the ordinary Japanese mind, he thought, than the fact that there are so many religious denominations and so many different Methodist churches. He believed Christianity's strongest appeal existentially would be found in one church comprehensive enough to cover all religious needs instead of 25 or 30 denominations.

The various Methodist bodies in Great Britain gained about 150,000 members in the past ten years, according to Rev. Simpson Johnson of London, secretary of the Westminster Methodist conference. During the last half of the decade, however, there had been a notable decrease, attributable, he thought, to conditions outside the church and the wakening of forces to meet the changed social conditions. Social reforms and institutional methods must be subordinated to the gospel method, he asserted.

Bishop Eugene Hendrix, of the Methodist Episcopal church, discussed what he considered among the most vital problems in the United States. He spoke of "The great philanthropic and religious problem of the negro and the maintenance of a pure home in the midst of adverse conditions." He found encouragement in the negro's gradual realization that he is a problem, and that he must, so to speak, help to solve himself. Millions could not get a Methodist preacher to bind in matrimony the man whom the statutes of New York forbade to be married.

Rev. Howard Sprague of the Methodist church of Canada, urged the widest extension of church union work for advancement in Canada by negotiations of Presbyterian, Congregational and Methodist churches of the Dominion. Such merging of the Christian forces means the lessening waste of men and means, and would be the most important event in the Christian church since the reformation.

TURKO-ITALIAN CLASH

Paris, Oct. 6.—Bostani Effendi, the Turkish delegate of the council of the union of the inter-parliamentary union, acting under the advice of other members of the council, has telegraphed to the Porte suggesting that Turkey offer directly to Italy to arbitrate all the differences between the two governments, as both are signatories to the Hague convention.

If Italy refuses, as Bostani Effendi considers possible, she will, he believes, be still further placed in the wrong before the world.

The Italian delegates are taking offence and threatening to withdraw from the inter-parliamentary union because of the adoption of a resolution setting forth that the international conference, which was to have been held in Rome in September, was postponed on account of an epidemic of cholera now existing in Italy, and regretting the precipitate action of Italy in declaring war.

During a heated debate the Italian delegates denied that cholera was "epidemic" in Italy, and clashed with the Turkish delegates regarding the

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counter-grievances of Italy and Turkey. Count Sonnozo was called to order and his colleague, Marquis Compans, would have retired but for the intervention of other delegates, who by conciliatory speeches prevented a break in the international body.

BALLOON RACE STARTS

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 6.—Three unidentified balloons, leaders, as far as known in the James Gordon Bennett and Lahm cup races, passed Tarkio, 131 miles northeast of Kansas City, but 15 miles from the Iowa state line, at 8:25 o'clock last night. They were travelling high and fast.

But three identified bags had been accounted for up to midnight. They were the Condor, flying the colors of France, which passed St. Joseph, Mo., at 8 o'clock; the Topeka II., that sailed over South St. Joseph, Mo., at 8:40 o'clock, and the America II., which was reported at Savannah, Mo., 80 miles north of Kansas City, at 7:45 o'clock.

Before a favorable 20-mile wind from the south and southeast eight racing balloons raced away from here yesterday in the contest for the James Gordon Bennett trophy and the Lahm cup.

Six of the craft, three representing the United States, two Germany and one France, are entered in the Bennett race, an annual international event. The three American balloons in this contest and two other American balloons are after the Lahm cup. A ninth balloon, which acted as pilot in the international race, is attempting to break the altitude record.

Every balloonist got away to a good start. The pilot-balloon, Pennsylvania I., and the American II., had trouble clearing the ground, but by dumping a little sand both were soon able to gain a good altitude. The Berlin II. did not rise well until after it had cleared the aviation field, and its drag rope raked two or three spectators off the circuit seats, but none were seriously injured, and the bag was not long in rising to an estimated height of 500 feet.

PLEADED WITH RESULT

London, Oct. 6.—Baroness Macdonald, commenting on the recent elections, said: "I had not dared hope for such a sweeping answer from the people of Canada to Sir Wilfrid Laurier's attempt to separate Canada from the Empire and by his reciprocity policy to pave the way for annexation and absorption. I feared not the lure of certain advantages, undoubtedly advantages, which Canada in her triumphant loyalty has so grandly ignored, but the influence of American money sure to be freely used to secure if possible the policy America desired to see fully carried out. The Imperial policy to which my husband's long and strenuous life was entirely devoted has been manifestly justified and sustained and carried out for the party he had ever fought against even to the last. His voice silenced 21 years ago and his personal influence gone for ever, I feel he yet speaks as I read of frantic cheers and world-wide congratulations which greeted the success of his Imperial policy."

GIVES UP PRISONERS

Sacramento, Cal., Oct. 6.—Requisitions were honored yesterday by the governor's office upon the application of the governor of Washington for the return of John E. Breeze, who is wanted for wife desertion, and the governor of Oregon for the return of Joseph McLean for the theft of \$305. Both men are under arrest in San Francisco. The governor's office honored to-day a requisition from the governor of Utah for the return of Guy Angel, alias Angeles Baitue, to Salt Lake, where he is wanted for forgery. The prisoner is under arrest in San Francisco.

—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, over Terry's Drug Store, Douglas Street.

POSSESSION OF CHILD

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 6.—That as far as his jurisdiction went he would look upon the marriage as valid and the child as legitimate, was the pronouncement of Mr. Justice Clement upon the habeas corpus proceedings in the case of the child, Leonard A. Oliver, who was last June the central figure in one of the most dramatic actions heard in Vancouver.

The child is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Oliver of Tacoma. Mrs. Oliver left the United States last spring and came to Vancouver with another man and her child. The husband instituted proceedings for the custody of the son. Mrs. Oliver claimed that as she had been divorced less than six weeks when she married Mr. Oliver, the marriage was illegal and the husband could not recover the child. In June Mr. Justice Clement made an order directing that the child be placed with the Children's Aid Society pending further proceedings. In refusing to grant the application His Lordship severely commented upon Mrs. Oliver taking the stand that the child was illegitimate. As far as he was concerned, he said, he would look upon Mr. Oliver as the rightful father and upon her as the rightful mother of the child.

On satisfactory assurances of the father's moral character the boy will be given over to Mr. Oliver.

TAFT ASSAILS CRITICS

Pocatello, Idaho, Oct. 6.—In a speech before the Chamber of Commerce here to-day, President Taft bitterly assailed the critics of the United States Supreme court, and asserted anew his views as to the relation of government to business.

"I love judges and I love courts," said the president.

"They are my ideals on earth that I uphold what I shall most afterward in heaven, under a just God. When a court is doing its duty, when it is trying to interpret the law as it ought to be, to have it condemned and attacked and its motives questioned for mere political purposes without any solid ground for attack, it goes to my heart and I resent it with deep indignation."

Mr. Taft referred to the Supreme Court's disposal of the Standard Oil and Tobacco cases as "two great decisions."

ROCKEFELLER'S PRIVATE LINE

Tarrytown, N. Y., Oct. 6.—John D. Rockefeller is having a private telegraph wire extended to his home on the hill and will have an operator installed at the terminus of the line in his residence.

It is said Mr. Rockefeller's first order in returning here for the winter was for the private wire. All the years he has lived in Tarrytown he never has had a private wire before and the innovation has started endless gossip. One suggestion current is that as William Rockefeller has sailed for Europe Mr. Rockefeller is assuming active charge of certain business affairs again.

DISHONEST CAR PORTER

Montreal, Oct. 6.—Yesterday Judge Levesque sentenced Willie P. Gumbier, a Canadian Pacific railway porter, to two years in the penitentiary on a charge of stealing a quantity of diamonds from passengers on the train on which he was engaged. Gumbier's run was from Montreal to the Coast.

KILLED BY BANDIT

Wallace, Idaho, Oct. 6.—A lone bandit, clad in a black suit and with his face blackened, shot and killed Owen Perry, a well known prospector on Pine Creek, a few miles above Kellogg, during the hold-up of a saloon late yesterday.

Entering the saloon at a time when the room was filled with miners and lumbermen, about 30 in number, the highwayman ordered all hands up. All complied but Perry, who was so slow as to lead to suspicion of resistance, and he was shot down. All, including the bartender, were lined up against the wall and their pockets searched.

The cash register was then broken open and the contents taken. When he had finished, the robber backed out of the door and disappeared in the darkness. No trace of him has been found.

STORM AT GUAYAMAS

Nogales, Ariz., Oct. 6.—Telegraph reports dated Guayamas, say the worst storm in the history of Guayamas was raging. Since 7 p. m. yesterday communication has been cut off with Guayamas. The wires from here are working as far south as Torres. No trains are running on the Sonora railroad between Nogales and Guayamas.

BALD HEADS NOT WANTED

Baldness is Too Generally Considered a Sign of Advanced Age

A bald-headed person does not have an equal chance with one blessed with a healthy head of hair, because baldness is too generally accepted as an indication of age. Many large corporations have established an age limit, and refuse to take men over 35 years of age as new employees.

Probably 65% of bald-headed people may regain a good head of healthy hair if they will follow our advice and accept our offer. We have a remedy that is positively guaranteed to grow hair on any head, unless the roots of the hair are entirely dead, their follicles closed, and the scalp has become glazed and shiny. We want people to try this remedy at our risk, with the distinct understanding that unless it does exactly what we claim it will, and gives satisfaction in every respect, we shall make no charge for the remedy used during the trial.

We know exactly what we are talking about, and with this offer back of our statements no one should scoff, doubt our word, or hesitate to put our remedy to an actual test.

We want every one in Victoria who is suffering from any scalp or hair trouble, dandruff, falling hair, or baldness to try our "Royal Hair Tonic." We want them to use it regularly—say until three bottles have been used—and if it does not eradicate dandruff, cleanse and refresh the scalp, tighten the hair in its roots, and grow new hair, we will return every cent paid us for the remedy for the mere asking. There is no formality expected, and we exact no obligation from the user whatever.

We are established right here in Victoria, and make this offer with a full understanding that our business success, entirely depends upon the sort of treatment we accord our customers, and we would not dare make the above offer unless we were positively certain that we could substantiate it in every particular. Remember, you can obtain Royal Remedies in this community only at our store—The Retail Store—D. E. Campbell, Druggist, corner Fort and Douglas.

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

BY-LAW NO. 104.

A By-Law to Raise \$20,000 for School Purposes

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of Oak Bay are required to raise the sum of \$20,000 on the requirement of the Board of School Trustees for the purpose of purchasing two parcels of land, situate within the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay, for school purposes, namely:

(a) ALL that piece or parcel of land situated in Section 61, Victoria District, more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at a point on the easterly limits of the Cadboro Bay Road, same being situated South 22 deg. 34 min. East (magnetic) a distance of two hundred and ninety-seven feet from the southeast intersection of the Cadboro Bay Road and Tod Road, thence bearing North 22 deg. 32 min. East for a distance of seven hundred and five feet, thence North 22 deg. 32 min. West for a distance of two hundred and thirty-eight feet and four inches, thence South 22 deg. 34 min. West for a distance of three hundred and thirty feet, thence South 22 deg. 34 min. East (magnetic) a distance of two hundred and ninety-seven feet to the southeast intersection of the Cadboro Bay Road and Tod Road, thence bearing North 22 deg. 32 min. East for a distance of seven hundred and five feet, thence North 22 deg. 32 min. West for a distance of two hundred and thirty-eight feet and four inches, thence South 22 deg. 34 min. 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Week October 2nd.
Special Engagement of
Nellie Brewster
And the Amsterdam Quartette, in the
Musical Fantasy "In Love."
J. Frank Burke and Company
The Value of a Dollar.
Harry Bouton and Company
Straight and Crooked Magic.
Hoey and Moser
The Lady and Her Groom.
Freeman and Dunham
Topical Song Singers.
The Empress-scope.

Victoria Theatre

Friday, Oct. 6

WM. A. BRADY, Ltd., Presents the
Funniest Play Ever Written
BABY MINE

By Margaret Mayo
Direct from a Solid Year's Run at
Daly's Theatre, New York
Seats on Sale Wednesday, Oct. 4.
Prices 50c to \$1.50. Mail orders re-
ceived.

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TUESDAY, OCT. 10TH

The Famous Comedian

SAM BERNARD

In the New York Casino Musical

Success

"He Came From Milwaukee"

Seats on Sale Saturday, Oct. 7th.

Mail Orders Received.

Prices, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, and \$2.00.

Curtain 8.30 Sharp.

Princess Theatre

FORMERLY A. O. U. W. HALL

WEEK OCTOBER 2

Williams Stock Co. in

The Great Biblical Drama

"Holy City"

All the week at 10c, 20c, and 30c.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. W. J. Hallerton of Dallas avenue,
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F. Hay Burt is registered at the Em-
press hotel from Listowel, Ontario.

Miss Mary Lawson has returned to
town after a two months' visit to Yale.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Trench of Salt
Spring Island, are visiting in the city.

Mrs. Blair and her daughter, Marie,
left on the Umatilla for Southern Cal-
ifornia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hallerton of Win-
nipeg, are spending a brief holiday in
the city.

Mr. and Mrs. William Murray of
Vancouver, are spending a few days in
Victoria.

A. L. Estelle and wife of Manila,
Philippine Islands, have arrived at the
Dominion hotel.

Dr. J. D. Maclean and Mrs. MacLean
have arrived at the Empress hotel from
Greenwood, B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe, of Edmonton,
are visiting the city, and are guests at
the Dominion hotel.

E. August Bradley, of Revelstoke,
mining and timber agent, is registered
at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Pym of Nanaimo,
have arrived in the city, and are regis-
tered at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. Hawkins of Armstrong, and
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Maclean, are regis-
tered at the Dominion hotel.

Lord Loughborough, the young son
of the Earl of Rosslyn, is visiting Vic-
toria in company with E. P. Ward.

Mrs. R. L. Richardson, wife of the
managing director of the Winnipeg
Tribune, and Miss Richardson, are on a
visit to the coast, and are staying at
the Empress hotel.

H. A. Bayfield, superintendent of
dredges, is in the city on official busi-
ness in connection with the trials of
the Lobnitz crusher now in progress in
the harbor.

Lieut. Colonel A. D. Miller, D.S.O.,
who with members of his family is vis-
iting Victoria, has been in command
of the Scots Greys for the past four
years. He had a distinguished career
in South Africa, having been chief staff
officer to General Sir John French. He
was mentioned in dispatches and re-
ceived both the Queen's and the King's
medals, and also his D. S. O. Colonel
Miller is making a visit of pleasure
through the Dominion at the present
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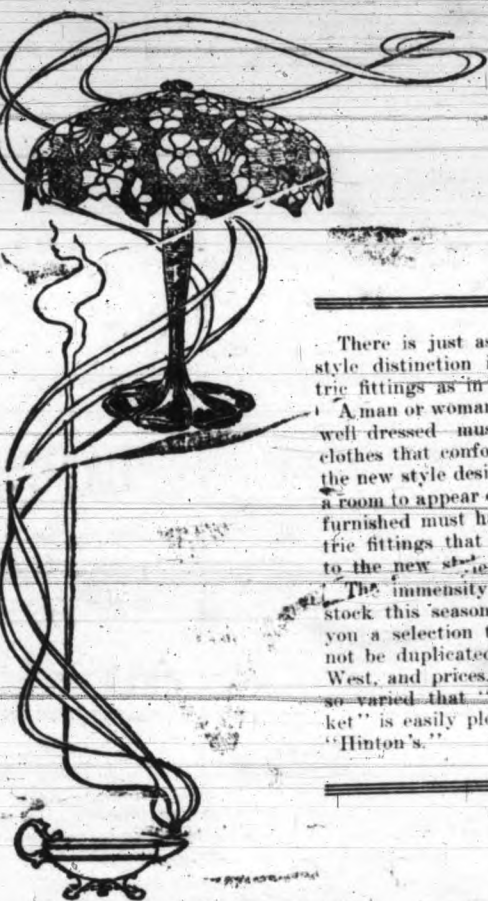
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Hope, Oct. 6.—Archie Cooper and Harry Sergeant arrived here from a prospecting trip of nearly a week. Mr. Cooper, who has been spending all his time on Silver Creek since he finished the season's work for the Phoenix Mining Company on Ladner's Creek, reported a find, six miles from the mouth of Silver Creek, two miles above the Jumbo and on the opposite side, and at an elevation of 5,000 feet. There has been found an immense dyke of copper ore which he traced along the surface for over 5,000 feet or practically a mile. In several places he found it over 50 feet in width from wall to wall. He believes it the biggest outcropping of ore he has ever seen. From the steep side hill many thousands of tons have fallen into the creek below, huge fragments being visible along its banks.

He also found in conjunction with it small veins of very high grade native silver. He brought into town all he and his partner could carry, and immediately shipped 25 pounds to Vancouver to be assayed.

Mr. Cooper was elated with his find. He admits the difficulty of access and of transportation, but confidently believes that he has found the biggest body of copper ore in the country.

FAREWELL TO PASTOR.

Rev. C. F. Yates and Wife Leave
Golden for Coast

Golden, Oct. 5.—Rev. C. F. Yates, who has been vicar of St. Paul's church for the past eleven years, is leaving next week to take charge of a parish in the diocese of New Westminster. A few days ago the officers of the church, by way of expressing their esteem, called at the vicarage and presented Rev. Mr. Yates with an address and a purse of gold. The address was very largely signed, not only members of the Anglican congregation but also the other denominations.

Those of the other denominations represented here. The purse of gold with which the Rev. Mr. Yates was presented contained a goodly sum. A presentation was also made to Mrs. Yates by the ladies of the congregation, being in the form of a brooch and pendant set with amethyst and pearls, and a gold chain. Residents of Golden generally join the members of the Anglican congregation in expressing regret at the departure of Rev. and Mrs. Yates and Miss Yates.

SKIDGATE.

Dr. C. F. Newcombe has lately secured from the Skidgate Indians some very valuable curios. The warm dry spell of several months without rain has been broken by gentle showers.

Forest fires have been running more or less, but so far but little damage done, on the other hand good has been accomplished.

What the people of Graham Island want to see is some one who will do something instead of saying they are going to. With the rich resources at hand such as are found here it seems strange that business men are so slow to take advantage of them.

By and by all will be in the hands of foreigners.

The new G.T.P. steamship Prince John gives general satisfaction.

NEW MANAGER.

Vancouver, Oct. 6.—The newly-appointed manager of transportation of the B. C. Electric Railway, Mr. Rosevelt, is brimful of energy, possessing many of the characteristics which have given fame to his illustrious kinsman. He is still in his thirties and looks like an individual capable of shouldering the heaviest kind of responsibility. When he assumed the direction of the Third Avenue railway system in New York in 1908, he quickly brought order out of chaos and in three years placed the property in excellent condition for re-organization. During his administration about 500 new cars of conversion type were purchased, the prepayment method of fare collection was adopted for all cars, and storage battery cars were placed on the cross-town lines.

NIGHT SCHOOL TO OPEN.

Bridgeport, B. C., Oct. 5.—The Richmond school board intend starting a night school at their Bridgeport school. In connection with this new enterprise Mr. W. T. Easterbrook, the secretary, wants anyone wishing to avail themselves of the night classes to notify him.

The night school will be conducted along the ordinary school lines. All public school subjects will be taught. The classes will be opened about the middle of October and should be well attended. The tuition in the school will be free. An opportunity to pick up back subjects and to learn new ones is seldom found outside of cities. This opportunity should not be overlooked.

CARIBOO DEVELOPMENT.

Barkerville, Oct. 4.—John W. Bonner, of the Commercial Brewery, London, and a director of the West Canadian Deep Leads, Ltd., and the Lightning Creek Hydraulic, is on a visit to Cariboo to inspect the properties of these companies. Mr. Bonner will remain in the district about three weeks. The West Canadian Deep Leads, Ltd., started work about August two years ago and have worked steadily ever since. The Lightning Creek Company began operations in August last year and are still at development work. The staff of each of these companies is now considerably reduced. At present they are only employing about forty men each, all whites.

MACHINE WORKS MAY
EXTEND PREMISES

Ask New Westminster Council
for a Lease of the
Waterfront

New Westminster, Oct. 5.—At its last meeting the council had before it a letter in which the Schaake Machine Works, Ltd., applied for a lease for 25 years with a further option of renewal for an additional like period for the location from the point of Lulu Island at the end of the bridge on the north side of Even avenue, from the dyke to Furber street, north 200 feet, then east to the dyke, with 200 feet of foreshore directly opposite. This was the vague description on the minutes. In the event of the application being granted, Messrs. Schaake intend to spend close on \$50,000 in addition to the present equipment for building tracks, wharf, etc., and to employ 200 hands, all of whom would be high paid white skilled labor. The matter was referred to the finance committee.

This same committee with the city solicitor were deputed to enquire into the request made by W. E. Paley through his lawyers, McBride & Ken, for compensation for the alleged flooding of his premises on Agnes and Mackenzie streets during the recent rain storm. Failing a favorable settlement the council was notified that a writ would be issued.

C. P. Shindler, a contractor of Vancouver, who appeared in person with a model of his appliances, asking in writing for a twenty years' franchise in the city for the establishment of team assisting traction cable lines on streets with a 7 per cent. grade, to install this traction system at once on Eighth street from Columbia street to Queens avenue. The necessity for this line he showed was proved at almost any hour of the day, but particularly from 7.30 to 9.30 in the morning and from 1 to 2.30 in the afternoon. His intention was to charge twenty cents per ton with certain rates for varying periods. The whole question was left in the hands of the engineer and the board of works which will report back.

City Engineer J. W. B. Blackman, instructed at a previous meeting, submitted an estimate of the probable cost of installing and operating a rock-crushing plant in the city. The estimate included everything necessary to operate successfully a crushing plant with a crushing capacity of two hundred cubic yards per day for a capital outlay of \$30,000. The estimated maintenance would be \$2,000 per year. The plant could, the official reported, be operated on an economic basis for about six months in the year, and he suggested that small portable crusher be purchased to crush the smaller boulders which were to be found in abundance on the streets. This crusher would be operated in conjunction with the steam roller, which had a fly wheel attached and would afford work for the roller during the winter months when road building was not in operation. The matter was left over until a future meeting.

UCLUELET NEWS.

Manager of Whaling Station Fined for
Supplying Whisky to Indians.

Ucluelet, B. C., Oct. 2.—A. W. Neal, Indian agent, and Constable Cox came to Sechart, where they held court over Manager Gosney and two other white men employed there and an Indian for supplying whisky to some Indians at the Toquino ranch. They were evidently on a hunting trip and stopped at the Indian ranch over night and gave the Indian so much liquor that he died from the effect. The Indian's wife reported the affair the next morning to Constable Kvarno, of Ucluelet, who after taking the doctor down and investigating the case had the men arrested and tried, as before mentioned.

The manager, in whose launch they were, was fined about \$268, the others donating enough to make a total of over \$400.

The sad part of the case is the poor Indian, Mackey, by name, was one of the best liked Indians in Barkley Sound, a great friend of the whites, who are all feeling very sorry and think the affair a very deplorable one.

BANQUET THE MANAGER.

Wilmer, B. C., Oct. 5.—On the evening of Saturday, September 16, the officers and employees of the Columbia Irrigated Fruit Lands, Limited, tendered a complimentary banquet to Harry Huron Ross, late manager of their company. The feast was spread in the dining room of Hotel Vancouver and was under the direct supervision of G. A. Starke, manager, who acted as a most exemplary host. Owing to the expedition with which the arrangements had to be made it was very much regretted by those in charge that only a few of the business men of the district could be invited as guests.

Owing to ill health, Mr. Ross, who has only been manager of the company for the last six months, has on the advice of his physicians, found it necessary to retire from active work and take a complete rest. In following this out Mr. Ross resigned his position and is now on his way to his late home in Cleveland, Ohio, where he will join his wife and family and with them possibly visit California or some other southern point for the ensuing six months.

At the banquet it was announced that Edward Mallandaine, of Cranbrook and Creston, had been appointed to succeed Mr. Ross.

These For Sale Advertisements Will Bring
About Some Real Estate Sales To-DayTHE B. C. LAND AND
INVESTMENT AGENCY
922 GOVERNMENT ST.

LOTS

Sea View, north of Hillside Ave., large corner lot, 51x135; 1-3 cash. \$1200

Southgate Street, just off Cook, 48x125; terms to suit. Price \$1750

Kingston Street, close to Government buildings, 60x120; 1-3 cash, balance 7 per cent. for \$2800

Ocean View Rd., off Cook St., 2 lots, each 50x120. Terms to suit. Price for the two \$840

Willows Crescent, close to exhibition grounds, lot 55x100; \$200 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months, at 7 per cent. Price \$630

ACREAGE.

2 1/2 Acres on Cedar Hill Rd., on a corner, commanding an excellent view; beautiful residential site; 3/4 cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price \$2000

Elk Lake, 5 acre lot, excellent land, adjoining V. & S. Railway. Prices \$2000 per acre and up. Call at office for plan and further particulars.

BUSINESS BUY

Cormorant Street, between Douglas and Blanchard, 60x140, revenue producing; quarter cash, quarter annually at 7 per cent. Price per foot is \$425

DWELLINGS.

Fairfield Estate, 4-room cottage and lot 52x157. Price \$2800

Fairfield Estate, lot off car line, 5-room cottage and lot 50x120, fruit trees, etc.; \$600 cash, balance to suit at 7 per cent. Price \$2100

Victoria West, 7-room new house and lot 50x120; \$700 cash, balance arranged on easy terms. Price \$4200

James Bay, close to Beacon Hill Park, 7-room modern dwelling, and a corner lot 60x140; 1-3 cash, balance one and two years at 7 per cent. Price \$6000

Hillside Avenue, 7-room house and lot 60x120; 1-3 cash, balance 7 per cent. Price \$3000

Pine Street, Victoria West, 6-room modern bungalow with two front porches, lot 55x150; fruit trees; 1-3 cash, balance 7 per cent. Price \$4200

Chapman Street, 5-room new modern bungalow and lot 40x135, to a lane, close to Linden; \$500 cash, balance \$25 per month at 7 per cent. Price \$3400



Phone 1671

Winter is coming, with its rainy, cold days, and beach and country lose their attractions; one wants to be close in to town with its conveniences and comforts. We have a cosy bungalow seven minutes from the post office, just off Government St., complete, for easy housekeeping and in a position which must inevitably become very valuable. A rare chance of securing a convenient home and a solid business investment all for the same money. Terms. Price \$5000

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22 Bastion Street, Victoria.

FOR SALE.

Two Valuable Water Lots on Victoria Harbor, at foot of Yates Street.

To Rent—Three-story Warehouse on Wharf Street.

CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement Works, authorized by By-Law, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

Poles Required

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. Friday, October 20, 1911, for the following: 200 Cedar Poles 35 ft. long; 100 Cedar Poles 45 ft. long. To be furnished as per specifications which can be seen and had at the Purchasing Agent's office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent

City Hall, Sept. 28, 1911.

Tenders for Water Works
Material

Separate tenders, sealed and endorsed, will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. on Friday, the 27th day of October, 1911, for the following: Gate valves, pig lead, lead pipe, galvanized pipe, brass goods, galvanized fittings. Specifications can be seen and had at the Purchasing Agent's office. The lowest or

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1319 Douglas St. Phone Y2403
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HOMES OUR SPECIALTY.

TWO SPLENDID HOMES.

on which you have no interest to pay. Isn't this a consideration?

\$500 cash and the balance at \$10 a month, buys a perfectly new, 6-room House, all modern conveniences, cement basement, etc., within easy walking distance of the city, high locality. Total price is \$5250

\$1000 cash and the balance \$30 per month, buys another new House, bungalow style, 6 rooms, built in sideboard, etc. House is burlapped and paneled and is modern in every way. Splendid locality. Oak Bay district.

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Real Estate and Insurance Agents.
Money to Loan, Fire and Life Insurance
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We have the following lots for sale:

Fairfield Street, two lots, 50x157 each. Each \$1750

Seaview Avenue, two lots, 45x102 each, for \$950

Prior Street, two lots, 50x120 each. Each \$1100

Burnside Road, good level lot, all cleared \$900

Cedar Hill Road, near Haultain Street, good lot for \$950

Superior Street, lot 60x120 \$2100

Seaview Street, between Douglas and Burnside, 2 lots for \$1850

Blackwood Street, lot 50x120 \$1050

Blackwood Street, fine level lot, 50x135. Price \$1075

Money to loan. Life Insurance. Fire Insurance.

CAPITAL CITY REALTY CO.

Real Estate, Financial and Industrial Agents.
Phone 2162 618 Yates Street.

Seven-room House, fully modern, two fine level lots, no rock, corner Richmond Ave. and Leighton Road; only one block from 2 car lines. Price, on good terms \$5200

Alder Street, one lot, 50x173. Terms, \$150 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years at 6 per cent. Price \$650

Nine-room House, corner on Foul Bay Road, fully modern, lot 50x120. Price, on good terms \$1200

Pembroke Street, one lot 50x111; terms 1-3 cash, balance arranged. Price \$500

A. H. HARMAN

1317 Broad Street.

Having occasion to make a trip to the Old Country I take this opportunity of informing my clients and others of the fact, and that I shall return on October 21, 1911.

Thanking for past favors,
A. H. HARMAN.

GRANT & LINEHAM

Real Estate and Fire Insurance.
Phone 664. 663 Yates Street.

OTS

Corner Faithful and Howe Streets, two lots, nicely treed, cement sidewalks, asphalt pavement, sewer, water and surface drainage connections. Terms arranged. Price \$2500

Imra Street, three lots, just off Burnside Road. These lots will only be half block from the car. Terms to be arranged. Price for the 3 \$1650

Corner Burnside Road and Qu'Appelle Street, large double corner. Terms 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Price \$1900

Beechwood Avenue, nice lot, cement sidewalks, sewer and water, and the street is now being prepared for asphalt paving. Price \$750

Linden Ave., good lot. A sharp at \$500

Fairfield Estate—We have the choicest residential property in this section, for lot up. Cement sidewalks, asphalt pavements, boulevards, sewer, water and surface drainage connections.

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See us for acreage in this district. We can sell you anything from an acre up.

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650 View Street.

CHOICE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY.

A BEAUTIFUL HOME

Containing 10 large rooms, all modern conveniences throughout, cement cellar, stone and brick foundations, everything up-to-date in every respect. Beautiful view of mountains and straits, with lovely slope to the south. Together with 2 1/2 acres of land, excellent soil, large barn and all necessary outbuildings. A large and varied amount of beautiful fruit trees of choicest mixed varieties, splendid garden, in first-class shape. Situated in the best residential section of the city, close to schools and car line. The price has been reduced in order to make a quick sale, to \$22,000

Terms can be arranged.

FIRE INSURANCE WRITTEN

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S. A. BAIRD

Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agent.
1210 DOUGLAS STREET.

Bank Street, new seven-roomed Bungalow, cement basement, furnace, wash tubs and hot and cold water in basement. Lot 60x135; on easy payments. Price \$5000

Corner Denman and Victor Sts., good Lot, on easy terms, for \$700

Kelvin Road, small cottage, with large lot, for \$1250

Five-roomed modern Cottage in good location; \$500 cash, balance on easy terms, for \$2950

Department of the Naval Service

A competitive examination will be held in November next at the examination centre of the Civil Service Commission for the entry of Naval Cadets for the Naval Service of Canada; there will be 25 vacancies.

Candidates must be between the ages of 14 and 16 years on the 1st of January next; must be British subjects and must have resided in Canada for two years immediately preceding the examination, short periods of absence abroad for purpose of education to be considered as residence.

Successful candidates will join the Royal Naval College at Halifax in January next; the course at the College is two years and the cost to parents, including board, lodging, uniform and all expenses, is approximately \$200 for the first year and \$250 for the second year.

On passing out of College, Cadets will be rated Midshipmen, and will receive pay at the rate of \$2 per diem.

Parents of intending candidates should make application to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Ottawa, before 15th October next.

Further information can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Department of Naval Service, Ottawa.

Unauthorized publication of these notices will not be paid for.

G. J. DESBARATS,
Deputy Minister of the Naval Service,
Department of the Naval Service,
Ottawa, August 1st, 1911.

Home on the Gorge

A fine, new home on the Gorge water front, close in and close to car line, frontage with good cottage, modern conveniences, good basement, furnace, etc.; fruit trees and garage.

Apartment House Site

Also splendid apartment house site, in good locality, with high school site, frontage with good cottage. Good terms can be arranged on both properties. For full particulars

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BOX 4880, TIMES

DEATH OVERTAKES KING'S PRINTER

Lieut.-Col. Wolfenden Passed
Away at His Home Sur-
rounded by Relatives

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Wolfenden I. S. O., V. D., the King's printer and a man esteemed and respected by all British Columbians, died at his home, 120 Menzies street, yesterday. Although it did not come as a surprise as Colonel Wolfenden had been ailing for many years and had failed rapidly during the last few days, the news of his death cast a gloom over the entire city. When it was seen that he could last but a few hours his relatives were called in and surrounded by his grief-stricken wife and children the aged colonel passed at 10:20 p. m.

Col. Wolfenden I. S. O., V. D. was a Yorkshire man, and was born in Rathmel on March 30, 1836. The colonel was the third son of Robert and Mary Wolfenden, his father being a yeoman, and after his education in Lancashire and Westmoreland, before he was twenty years of age, he joined the Royal Engineers, then as now one of the greatest training grounds for Empire builders.

For some three years he served with the Royal Engineers in England, and then in 1858 came the application to Lord Lytton, secretary of state for the colonies, to send out a corps of experienced men to keep order in the diggings, amid the rush and disorder attending the discovery of gold. As

done, only one remains, William J. Armstrong, then a grocer, and afterwards a member of the first legislative council of the colony of British Columbia, prior to the union of the colonies in the sixties. Mr. Armstrong is still in fair health for his advanced age, and his intellect is unimpaired, and his son, Sheriff Armstrong, is one of the foremost men on the lower mainland.

For four years, till they were disbanded, the corps spent its time surveying the townsite of New Westminster (the accuracy of which has just been tested by the city engineering staff of Westminster, and found absolutely correct) constructing the celebrated Cariboo road, and in engineering works of various kinds. Amateur theatricals helped to pass the long winter evenings when field work was out of the question, and among other things they did was to construct St. Mary's, the little garrison church at Sapperton, which still remains.

Col. Wolfenden was one of those who stayed when the detachment broke up in 1863 and became Queen's printer, the press on which the first British Columbia Gazette was published being exhibited at the Simon Fraser celebration in 1908, at which Col. Wolfenden attended with the few survivors of the corps now living.

From then till the day of his death he continued to hold this responsible office with satisfaction to all. He held his commission in connection with the Westminster and Victoria Rifle Volunteers, and when the organization was merged in the Canadian militia in 1878 he continued, retiring with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, and receiving the volunteer decoration. His reward for these services to the public was the I. S. O., granted in 1907. He held many offices in Victoria, of various kinds in his long career, being at one time a member of the board of school trustees.

Two years ago he was granted leave of absence, and revisited his native county, returning improved in health.

POLICE GUARD NEW ORLEANS RAILWAYS

Much Rioting and Several
Wounded—Southern Pacific
Trainmen Will Not Strike

New Orleans, La., Oct. 6.—Practically the entire police reserve force of New Orleans is on guard in the railroad district to-day to prevent a repetition of rioting which yesterday and last night marked the Harrington lines strike in this city.

The forces of railroad detectives and deputy marshals are also increased.

Eight strikebreakers and a deputy United States marshal were wounded in yesterday's clash with the strikers and sympathizers and five of the former are in the hospital. At least one of the men is believed to be fatally hurt. Twelve strikebreakers, a half dozen strikers and George Pence, Roanoke detective, are in jail charged with rioting.

Following an assault at 11 o'clock to-day on a building in which are quartered 215 strikebreakers, 800 employees of the Illinois Central Railroad Company and strike sympathizers withdrew on the approach of the police reserves and at noon declared a truce until 3:30 p. m. to permit the railroad company to conform with their demand to transport the strikebreakers from the city.

Militia Called Out.
McComb City, Miss., Oct. 6.—The Gulf Port and Aberdeen companies of the national guard who arrived yesterday and last night left to-day for Water Valley, where there has been rioting growing out of the Illinois Central strike.

Conditions At Oakland.
Oakland, Cal., Oct. 6.—It was reported by the strikers this morning that 25 Southern Pacific men employed as engine wipers and firemen, had walked out this morning. In addition to this it is reported by the union men that some of the passenger trains arriving in Oakland within the last fifteen hours had been considerably late.

Railroad officials in charge of the yards claim that they have enough men to keep things moving indefinitely.

Trainmen Stay At Work.
San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 6.—Beyond the posting of 20 additional guards about the local shops and the sending of a batch of strikebreakers to San Luis Obispo, there were no disturbances to-day in the shopmen's strike situation. Numerous reports have been current ever since the strike was called of impending sympathetic walk-outs, but nothing has come of them so far.

F. G. Athearn, head of the Bureau of Economics of the Southern Pacific Railway, said that the action of the trainmen's convention in Denver late last night, when it was decided to make no demands upon the western roads at this time, was of the utmost importance from the company's viewpoint.

The action of the trainmen, according to Athearn, left the shipmen in an isolated position as regards their strike.

PERSONAL

H. R. A. Myers, of Edmonton, is registered at the King Edward hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Costell, of Lindsay, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. M. Whyte, of Port Huron, Ont., have arrived at the Westholme hotel.

Mrs. L. J. Sprague, 3550 Carroll street, will receive on Monday, October 9th, and afterwards on the second Monday of each month.

David Drummond Galtely, a Scottish visitor, has arrived at the Dominion hotel from Banff, where he made a brief stay in his trip across the Dominion.

Passengers for Victoria on the City of Puelia, which arrived last evening from San Francisco, included W. W. Burton, Misses Annie S. Burton and Mildred E. Burton, of Santa Rosa, and Frank Hall, of San Francisco. They registered at the Dominion hotel.

Right Rev. Bishop Stringer, of Yukon, is expected in Victoria in a few days. It is hoped he will occupy the pulpit of the Cathedral on Sunday morning. His Lordship returns to Yukon after attending the general Anglican Synod in London, Ont.

Rev. Dr. Campbell united in marriage at the First Presbyterian church last evening Mr. Harry H. Pegler, of this city, and Miss Lillian Creech, of Suttler street. The ceremony was performed at 7:30 o'clock, the church being prettily decorated in green and white for the occasion. The bride's going-away suit was of navy blue with hat to match.

Mr. Godfrey Booth is leaving on the steamer Otter, Saturday, for the Orient. The trip includes Hongkong, Nagasaki, Yokohama and all interesting Oriental points, where he intends acquainting himself with the business methods employed at the various centres. Mr. Booth has been an untiring bank manager for twenty years, having worked up one of the most important financial institutions in Victoria. A host of Mr. Booth's friends will wish him bon voyage.

Last Saturday evening a pretty wedding was solemnized at the residence of the Rev. Dr. Campbell, corner of Fort and Linden, the contracting parties being Mr. H. N. Wright and Miss May Gibson, both formerly of Edinburgh, Scotland. Miss Ethel Cook of Victoria, was the leading bridesmaid, and Mr. James Ogilvie acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. A. Lawrie were among the guests at the wedding. After enjoying a brief honeymoon trip Mr. and Mrs. Wright will take up permanent residence in the city.

OUR LETTER BOX

OPPOSED TO HOME RULE.

To the Editor:—In your very partisan article on Home Rule to-night you say: "It is very difficult . . . to understand why the people of Ireland should not have Home Rule."

One reason is that one-third of the population of Ireland (owing two-thirds of its wealth and having originated all its industries) is Protestant and objects strenuously to Home Rule, which it considers tantamount to Home Rule. Also there are many educated Irish Catholics who do not wish to see a Tammany Hall set up in Dublin. Again, it should be remembered that the Irish county councils, which are elective, perform very many of the functions exercised in Canada by the provincial governments. There are also many other difficulties, of which you do not appear to be aware, and which it would take too long to specify here.

The dispatch you mention does not sound reliable. All the House of Lords tried to insist upon was that the Home Rule bill be submitted to the electorate before becoming law. This Mr. Asquith refused, and threatened to advise the creation of 50 peers. If he now does what the peers asked, he will have made a fool both of himself and the King, which he is not likely to do.

Those who have never lived in Ireland have no conception of what Home Rule really means, and the example of the angels who "feared to tread" is not a bad one for outsiders to follow.

I should like to add that I am not an Orangeman.

I enclose my card, but prefer to subscribe myself

A PROTESTANT IRISHMAN.

Victoria, Oct. 5, 1911.

ROYAL ENGINEER-VETERANS.

Col. Wolfenden's Death Thins the Number—George Turner Still in Harness.

With the death of Col. Wolfenden only one member, it is thought, of the survivors of the Royal Engineer corps remains sufficiently fit physically to discharge his professional duties, namely, George Turner, who acts as assistant engineer in the office of the department of public works for the Dominion at New Westminster. In 1905 it was possible to get together eleven of the fourteen survivors, but death has thinned the ranks since then. On that occasion, when the Simon Fraser centenary was observed, a mass of information was collected, and photographs assembled, which are the property of the province, and will therefore form a permanent memorial of their occupation when the grim reaper has gathered in "the bearded grain." His Honor Judge Howay is the chief authority on the history of the Royal Engineers in British Columbia, and has been assisted by great success to various bodies on the subject.

Never apologize for showing feeling. My friend, remember that when you do so you apologize for truth.—Beaconsfield.



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Here is an unusual opportunity to "get in" on some good semi-business buys (below market value) on View street. There are just six lots and every one is a good one.

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Property along View street will greatly increase in value during the next year. LET US SHOW YOU THESE LOTS TO-DAY.

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OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred at the family residence, 2344 Blanchard street, this morning of Isabella Atkinson, aged 24. Deceased is survived by a husband, A. N. Atkinson, and three young children. She was born and raised in Scotland and had come to Victoria a number of years ago. The funeral has been arranged to take place from the Hanna & Thompson chapel, Pandora street, to-morrow afternoon at 2:30. The Rev. Dr. Campbell will officiate. Interment will be made at Ross Bay.

The remains of Wong Kim Yen were interred in the Chinese cemetery this morning. The funeral took place from the B. C. Funeral Furnishing parlors.

IMPERIAL PRODUCE PLATE

Kempston Park, Eng., Oct. 6.—The Imperial Produce plate for two-year-olds, run here to-day over six furlongs, worth three thousand sovereigns and one of the most important two-year-old races of the season, resulted in the defeat of some of the best trained colts of the year. Miss Knox-Gore's Fruiton, 8 to 1, was first; L. Neumann's Jaeger, 6 to 1, second; L. De Rothschild's Lorenzo, 100 to 1, third.

ALL-STAR LOST AGAIN

Vancouver Won Out Yesterday in Ninth Inning Rally.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 6.—By another ninth-inning rally Vancouver nosed out the All-Stars again yesterday, winning by the score of 5 to 4. The game was played at the New Westminster fair grounds and was witnessed by a big crowd.

R. H. E. Vancouver 5 15 4 All-Stars 4 7 1 Batteries—Belford and J. Shea; Gordon and D. Shea.

STEAMER STRANDED.

Port Arthur, Ont., Oct. 6.—The steamer Corunna, of the Canadian Lake line, was stranded this morning at 5:30 off the Welcome Islands, seven miles from Port Arthur, and is now lying with her bow high and dry on a mud bank, the stern in ten feet of water. She does not appear to be badly damaged. The Canadian Towing & Wrecking Company's tugs have gone to her relief. The Corunna was coming here from Montreal with a full cargo of package freight. Captain W. L. McKay is in command.

SO SAY THE OWNERS.

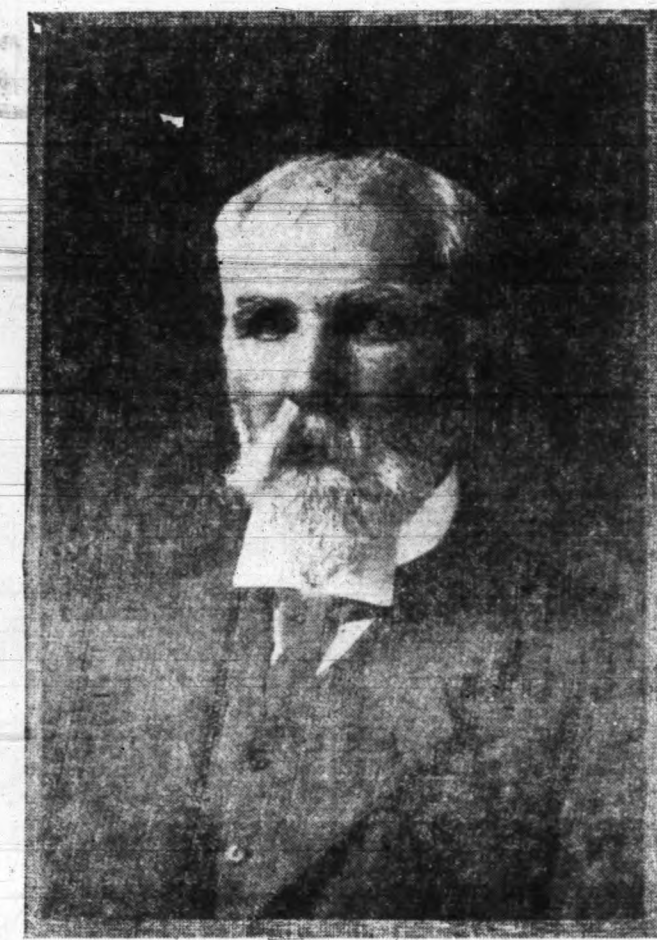
London, Oct. 6.—The recent advances in trans-Atlantic shipping rates

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The party sailed in the fall of 1858 from England in three detachments, the main body being on the "Thames City," and on the eve of sailing were born within a few days of one another, to wives of men of the corps, babies who were afterwards to be known as Thomas Deasy, once chief of the Victoria Fire Brigade, and W. H. Keary, eight terms mayor of New Westminster.

During the tedious six months voyage round Cape Horn the men amused themselves by preparing a weekly paper known as the "Emigrant Soldier's Gazette," and "Cape Horn Chronicle," which was read to the admiring soldiers every Saturday night, and which was in later years republished by Col. Wolfenden in book form.

After they disembarked at Esquimalt on April 12, 1859, they were transferred to the "Ellis Anderson," and proceeded up the Fraser River, where Col. Moody located the site of the new capital at Derby, but the position was found unsuitable. It was therefore decided to select a more convenient place near the mouth of the Fraser and a densely covered forest with a creek running down to the bank was chosen, close to where the Dominion Penitentiary stands in New Westminster to-day.

Of the party whom Col. Wolfenden found located on the townsite of Queensborough, afterwards to be named New Westminster when the site further up river at Derby was abandoned.

He was twice married, first to Miss Kate Cooley, of Ashford, Kent, who died in 1873, and secondly to Miss F. C. Bailey, of Philadelphia. Col. Wolfenden was a member of the Church of England, and belonged to the A.O.U.W. His family are Frank, of Armstrong; Arthur, of Victoria; Walter, of Vancouver; Frederick Leslie, and Victor, of this city; Mrs. G. F. Matthews, and Mrs. C. B. Jones, of this city; Mrs. K. R. Stratfield, of Saanichton; Mrs. P. B. Fowler, of Creston, and Miss Wolfenden, of this city. Sixteen grandchildren are living. He is also survived by a brother, William Wolfenden, in New Westminster, and two brothers and two sisters living in England.

Lieutenant-Colonel Wolfenden was the president of the B. C. Rifle Association for many years and was the first to represent the province at Wimbledon, England.

A military funeral has been arranged to take place from the residence on Sunday afternoon. The Fifth Regiment will leave the house at 3 o'clock and march to Christ Church cathedral, where services will be held. Interment will be made in the Ross Bay cemetery. Arrangements for the funeral are being made by the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Company.

There will be no flowers, by request of the family.

SUIT POSTPONED.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 6.—The suit of Aaron Neme, a scrap-iron dealer, and creditor of the Western Steel Corporation for the appointment of a receiver for the company, was postponed a week when the case came up in the superior court to-day. Creditors of the \$29,000,000 corporation are in conference with the stockholders, seeking to adjust its affairs.

A plan of re-organization, leaving out of the new company James A. Moore, the president and promoter, is under consideration. Moore has been in New York some time, seeking to borrow money on the security of the company.

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WHAT SCIENTISTS DO NOT YET KNOW

British Association Projects
Problems of Rule-Bound
Investigators Into Light

The annual meetings of the British Association, like an annual stock-taking, enable men of science to pause for a moment and see where they stand.

At a meeting held in York five years ago, Sir Ray Lankester, the president, after reviewing the scientific history of the previous quarter of a century, gave it as his opinion that "more remarkable discoveries would be made in the future than had ever been in the past."

To many it seemed that the main lines of scientific thought which we associate with the names of such men as Newton, Dalton, Lyell and Darwin must ever remain the great generalization of science, and that to modern workers the utmost that was possible was the filling in of the details in the systems of these master-minds. Five more years have passed, and it can scarcely be denied that in the interval doubt has increased, men of science are less satisfied with the dogmas of the last century, and matters which were once considered settled have passed into the melting-pot once more.

This is perhaps most marked in those sciences which are largely philosophical, anthropological and biological; in the nature of the case the more mathematical sciences are less likely to the overthrow of laws once established. Now, if we refer to the recent meeting at Portsmouth, we find that the presidents of the sections devoted to anthropology, physiology and zoology, in their opening addresses, all dealt with subjects which are matters of disagreement and speculation among their followers.

Dr. Rivers, in his address to the anthropologists, pointed out how greatly progress in the subject has been retarded by a fundamental difference in the general theory of the origin of culture held by two opposing schools. To the one school the fact that in all lands there are found transitions from designs representing the human form or those of animals and plants to patterns of a purely geometrical nature is evidence that this is a natural series in the evolution of the human mind in this direction. To others these transitions are examples of the blending of two cultures, one possessing the practice of decorating their objects with human, animal, or plant designs, while the art of the other is based on the use of geometrical forms. The transitions which have been taken to be evidence of independent processes of evolution based on psychological tendencies common to mankind are by this school ascribed to the mixture of cultures and of peoples.

The recent spread of European habits of dress, the Christian religion, and the English language over great portions of the globe we know are due to mixture of cultures and not to an evolution which leads all races independently to these similarities. It does not follow, therefore, that because a primitive race has certain definite habits or methods of ornamentation these are the products of an early stage of mental evolution, and much more careful study of primitive peoples will be required before we can hope to know what beliefs and ceremonies are really the most primitive, and hence determine the natural stages of mental evolution, which is the main aim of the science.

But, unfortunately, just as we are approaching some agreement as to the lines on which research is required, the materials for such research are rapidly disappearing before the advance of civilization. In the words of Dr. Rivers, with the death of every old man in many regions there goes, and goes for ever, knowledge the dis-



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appearance of which the scholars of the future will regret, as the scholars of the past regretted the disappearance of the library of Alexandria.

If we now turn to the subject of biology we find that in those greater problems of the science, such as the nature of variation among individuals, the problems of heredity, the nature of growth and reproduction, the mystery of sex, the characteristics of habit, instinct, and intelligence, and the meaning of life itself, we have advanced very little beyond the standpoint of the first and greatest biologist, Aristotle.

It is true that owing to the work of Darwin the fact that the differences which we see between organisms have been reached by a gradual evolution is not now disputed. But when we inquire by what method this evolution was brought about, biologists can return no certain answer. The Darwinian theory of natural selection acting on minute differences is generally considered nowadays to be inadequate, but no alternative theory has taken its place. At the present time discussion is chiefly concentrated on the question as to whether life is dependent only on the physical and chemical properties of the living substance, protoplasm, or whether there is at work an independent vital principle which sharply separates living from non-living matter.

Great advances have recently been made in explaining many of the actions of the simpler animals in terms of physical laws, such as those of pressure, cohesion, viscosity, elasticity, and surface tension; but Prof. D'Arcy Thompson in his address to the zoologists, gave it as his opinion that, though we push such explanations to the uttermost, and fear much in the so doing, they will not touch the heart of the great problems that lie deeper than the physical plane. Over the ultimate problems and causes of vitality, over what is implied in the organization of the living organism, we shall be left wondering still. The ultimate problems of biology are as inscrutable as of old.

But though this may for ever be the case, those who strive towards a better understanding of such problems need not be disheartened. By aiming at one mark they often hit another. Mr. Bateson, in addressing the agricultural section, pointed out how the investigation of that scholastic and seemingly barren problem, "What is a species?" led the Abbe Mendel to those discoveries which are rapidly revolutionising the art of breeding plants and animals. Already by the aid of Mendel's laws great improvements have been effected in strains of wheat and cotton; and it is possible that in the future the breeder may be able to fix in the strains of animals such valuable properties as the fineness of wool in sheep and the capacity for fattening in cattle; whilst he may be able to stamp out the running to seed of the best, which results in a loss of 5 per cent. of the crop at the present time.

Then it was in the purely theoretical study of chemistry that those wonderful radio-active substances were discovered, which have proved that the old dream of the alchemists, who hoped to transmute one metal into another, is not entirely absurd. On the contrary, we now know that certain elements are actually breaking up into other elements and giving out in the process a stupendous amount of energy. As the president of the association pointed out, if only we could hasten this transformation process, we should have available a source of energy which we are likely to need in 200 years' time, when our coal supply is exhausted. Is it too much to hope that in the next 200 years some physicist or chemist will hit upon the key which will unlock this storehouse? Sir William Ramsay thinks it is, and one could have no higher authority. But man is by nature an optimist.—London Leader.

DIPLOMACY AND THE FLEET.

Rear-Admiral A. T. Mahan, of the United States navy, in an article in the current number of the North American Review, on "Navies as International Factors," discusses the object of Germany in raising a monster fleet. Germany, he says, has abandoned in assurances that the progress of her navy from year to year has no reference to the current shipbuilding programme of Great Britain. As a matter of fact, Admiral Mahan says, the result has been that the standard of British naval construction has been set in Germany; not that of German construction in Great Britain, except in the original design.

The German principle, he adds, possesses the great merit of asserting with absolute clearness that the constitution and numbers of a navy are not a matter of domestic policy, but of foreign relations.

Germany, according to this declaration, needs a navy of such strength that the greatest naval power will not lightly incur hostilities. That certainly is a purely international consideration. It has nothing to do with German domestic affairs, except to indicate their dependence upon international security based upon armed forces. It does not mean, that Germany wants to fight Great Britain, even less that she imagines that in 1914, with 15 Dreadnoughts, she can successfully meet the British 22, if these be concentrated.

"What it means is, that if Germany wishes to carry a point of foreign policy to which Great Britain objects—and their interests are markedly contrary in several quarters—Great Britain, despite her superior fleet, will think more than twice before her resistance takes the ultimate form of force, because this may mean war."

RAILWAY MERGER.

Montreal, Oct. 6.—At a special meeting of the Montreal Street Railway Company yesterday ratification was given to the consolidation of several companies into the Montreal Tramway Company, with a capital of \$20,000,000. The lines are the Montreal Railway, Park and Island Railway and Public Service Corporation. This consolidation will greatly facilitate the making of a new contract with the city of Montreal. The stock did not show any buoyancy on the news, losing several points.

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"The mind has an enormous influence on various bodily functions," said Dr. Arthur, M.L.A., in a lecture on "Hypnotism and Other Forms of Faith Healing," under the auspices of the Health Society of N. S. W. at the Sydney town hall. "Our mental process controls and regulates to an extraordinary extent the body, as an idea arising in the mind will bring about a functional change. Sea sickness is an instance. In some cases persons get seasick at the mere mention of going to sea, because the idea in the mind is of such potency as to be sufficient to bring on the direful effects of actual sea sickness. Not only are actual functional changes brought on by emotional storms and other mind influences, but often death occurs. I have seen cases where people have died through fear. There is a case on record where a young woman had a morbid fear of the harmless tick which sometimes gets into people's heads. She awoke during the night and called to her sister that a tick was in her head. Then she felt back dead on the spot. There is another case on record of the fatal results of fear. Some students told a man that he had been condemned to death, and that death sentence on him was that an artery was to be cut in his arm allowing him to bleed to death. They blindfolded him, and after going through an imaginary process of cutting an artery, allowed warm water to trickle down his arm for awhile. Then they took the covering from his eyes and told him to go away, but he was dead, and fright alone had killed him. "Expectant attention plays an enormous part in our lives," said the speaker. "The expectant attention of the favorable is hope, that of the unfavorable is fear. Thus it depends upon the channel through which this expectation flows as to what the results are on our lives. If a person always fears the worst condition of happenings then the results are not healthy. The fears will lead to functional diseases of some kind or other. We often have persons among us who always expect ill results. In fact, they cultivate the art to such a degree that they delight in describing their ailments with the utmost gusto. They are insulted if anyone says they are looking well. Some people, when they get a twinge of pain in the back immediately believe that they have contracted some serious kidney disease, and they are helped in their expectations of ill by the attractive advertisements setting out the supposed positive cure by quack medicine. These people are, of course, to be pitied, and it is to them that we bring forward this antidote of the mind curing the body. "Fortunately, in recent times, a change has taken place as the people are determined to be healthy," continued Dr. Arthur. "This faith has a power of influence which is of incalculable benefit to the community in all bodily disorders. There is nothing more certain in life than this cure by faith of many of our ills. It is practised by many medical men who, through their magnetic influence, buoy up their patients with the determination to get better, and the results in this respect are often greater than those which any drugs could produce. A little permanent water, highly colored and of little value for curative purposes is a most valuable medicine, which the doctors recognize. It seems to be generally understood that a sick person must get something out of a medicine bottle three times a day before he or she can recover. The sick often believe it does them good, so it would be foolish not to let them have it. "Even severe pains," said the lecturer, "can often be relieved by influencing the patient to believe that something has been injected to minimize them. Often when patients have been calling out for morphia I have injected pure water, and the desired results of the pain-easing has invariably followed. "Of the popular complaints, he went on, that it was claimed could be cured by many so-called remedies were chronic rheumatism, and asthma. Everyone had a remedy which had cured him or her. When they got a disorder or a pain, however, which could be cured by so many remedies, which were not in common with each other, it was palpable that each of those so-called cures had something more behind them than the more inward or outward application. There were people who cured themselves of rheumatism by superstitious means. Some believed that as long as they carried a raw potato in their pocket they would never be troubled. Others had a similar belief of the curative powers of an iron ring worn on any of the fingers. A third "cure," which was recognized by some as an absolutely certain way to prevent rheumatism, was the wearing of a piece of red flannel—it must be red—round their bodies. Certainly all these remedies did good in many cases, because behind them was faith—the power of the mind—that largely controlled the body. The doctrines of Christian Scientists were doing good, because those who believed in them were determined to be healthy. The most potent and effectual form of faith-healing was hypnotism. There was an enormous amount of nonsense being written, especially in fiction about hypnotism. The novelists all seemed to vie with one another with regard to it, and the result was that hypnotism had come in for a deal of discredit. Hypnotism was not produced by the influence of one person's mind over another. People hypnotized themselves. He instance how it could be done, and he had practised it. Once in London an old woman, a cripple, with very weak knee joints, who had taken buckets of medicine, and had been treated in many ways by doctors, came to him. Her knees were so tender that

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Celluloid—Trimings—Catch Fire and Wearer Is Fatally Burnt.

Celluloid "fruit" in the trimming of a hat was proved as an inquest in London to have been the cause of the death of Mrs. Mary Celia Macneil, aged 57. Mrs. Caroline McDonald, daughter of Mrs. Macneil, stated that she found her mother suffering from burns. Her mother had candles in her room on the ground floor, and witness was under the impression that her mother's hat, which was trimmed with celluloid creations, caught fire from the candle.


A neighbor said Mrs. Macneil was discovered in a kneeling position behind the door with her hair on fire, while the bedclothes were also alight.

Dr. Drinkwater stated that nearly the whole of the face was badly burned. The jury returned a verdict of "Death by misadventure."

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GERTRUDE HOFFMANN AND RUSSIAN DANCERS

Gertrude Hoffmann, the American danseuse, with her supporting company and a symphony orchestra, performed before a large and fashionable audience in the Victoria theatre last night. Miss Hoffmann presented a series of dances, ranging in emotional exercise from the roistering bacchanale to the grave and tragic phases of the terpsichorean and sandwiched in between a picturesque collection of "expressions," soft of gesture and expression. Her impersonations embraced the historic Cleopatra and Lobeide, in Sheherazade, and the student of romantic history or mythical lore may say the flattering unctious to his soul and her credit—that he saw his visions as through a crystal.

From a spectacular and artistic point of view Miss Hoffmann's performance left nothing to be desired and the audience appreciated her efforts and her art to the full. In Cleopatra she achieved a meritorious success, displaying that great queen's abundant passion, intensity, Lobeide, the Queen of the Harem, who comes to a bad end through love's reckless indiscretions, she was consistently beautiful.

In her character impersonations she was no less successful although their range was wide as the poles. From Eddie Foy she lighted from the versatile path of impersonation through Ethel Barrymore, George M. Cohan, Eva Tanguay, Harry Lauder, Valeska Suratt and Anna Held. As Foy, Lauder and Suratt, Miss Hoffmann made decided hits.

Her supports throughout were splendid, several of her leading assistants from the Russian Imperial theatres proving themselves beautiful artists in the highest sense of the word.

The company was large and when on the stage the scene was brilliant, exhilarating and inviting.

LOCAL NEWS

—Be sure and see "The Toys Awake" to-morrow afternoon in the Victoria Theatre. Prices for adults 50 cents, children 25 cents. This beautiful legendary drama is one of the real dramatic festivities of the season.

—Matters of importance will be considered at a meeting of the council of the Board of Trade to be held on Tuesday morning next at 10:30. The reports of the various special committees will be given consideration preparatory to presentation at the quarterly meeting of the board to be held on Friday of the coming week.

—The Centennial Football team will hold a practice at their grounds, on the corner of Burnside and Carroll streets, to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are requested to be on hand, and any others wishing to join.

STORM STOPS TRAFFIC

Tucson, Ariz., Oct. 6.—Railroad traffic with Hermosillo and Guaymas has been interrupted indefinitely by the storm which raged in Sonora Tuesday and Wednesday. The torrents of rain swelled the Sonora river to flood proportions. A Southern Pacific bridge has been swept away and no trains can be run until a new trestle is built.

AVIATOR TRIES AGAIN

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 6.—Robert G. Fowler, the aviator, who started on a transcontinental flight from San Francisco and who failed to cross the Sierras in the northern part of the state, arrived in Los Angeles to-day. He said he would try to make a new start from this city October 19.



FIFTH REGIMENT C. G. A.

Regimental Order by Lieut.-Col. A. W. Currie, Commanding.

Regimental Headquarters, Victoria, 5th October, 1911.

The Fifth Regiment will parade at the drill hall on Sunday, the 8th inst., at 2 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Lieut.-Colonel Richard Wolfenden, F. S. O., V. D., Dress: Church parade order.

P. T. STERN, Capt., Acting Adjutant.

YOUNG MAN DISAPPEARS

Thomas, Haiste, 25, disappeared on Wednesday and has not turned up yet.

A young man named Thomas Haiste, who resided at 700 Humboldt street, has disappeared and his whereabouts is causing his friends and relatives some anxiety. He was last seen on Wednesday morning when he was observed about his demagogue or appearance. Haiste is 25 years of age, about five feet eight inches tall, wears a slightly dark mustache and is generally of a prepossessing appearance. When last seen he was wearing a blue serge suit and a fawn mackintosh.

HIS FAREWELL SERMON

Bishop Perrin will preach in Christ Church Cathedral Sunday Evening.

On Sunday evening at Christ Church cathedral Bishop Perrin, who is shortly departing for London, will preach his last sermon. No doubt the sacred office will be filled to hear this well known divine expound the truth of God.

Members of the Diocese of Columbia are extending to bishop Perrin an invitation to be their guest at a farewell gathering to be held at the Alexandra club on Wednesday evening next at 8:30 o'clock. Parishioners from all parishes, as well as friends of the bishop and the general public are invited to attend.

FASTING SPECIALIST

Many Witnesses in Murder Trial of Tacoma Woman.

Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 6.—Witnesses from various parts of the British Empire will be summoned by the prosecution in the case of Dr. Linda Burford Hazzard, the Seattle fasting specialist, accused of the murder of Miss Claire Williamson, a wealthy English spinster, according to C. E. Linder, Hazzard's defence counsel. Among the witnesses will be Dr. Arthur Langley, of Melbourne, Australia, who is expected to arrive October 15. Dr. Langley is the executor of the original will of Miss Williamson.

Dr. Hazzard will plead to the amended information accusing her of murder in the first degree in the Superior court of Kitsap county to-morrow. On Monday she will appear in court again on a hearing to show cause why she should not be removed as administratrix of the estate of J. Flux, another patient whom she is accused of starving.

Miss Dorothea Williamson, sister of Dr. Hazzard's alleged victim, and who also, it is said, came near dying as a result of treatment, has improved since she left the Olalia sanitarium. She has increased in weight from 63 pounds to 94 pounds.

HUMAN FENCE

McComb City, Miss., Oct. 6.—With a human fence of a half thousand bayonets around the Bluff Central property here, a ten-foot board fence topped by barbed wire strands enclosing all of the workshops and a couple of automatic cannon ready for business on top, a two-story office building, railroad officials to-day expressed the opinion that they will be able to work the strikebreakers as they please in their shops here. Four hundred troops were in camp here this morning and fully a hundred more soldiers are expected before to-night.

Some persons can be everywhere at once, and others nowhere. At home and everywhere—G. D. Pennington.

POLICE RAID DENS AND SEIZE OPIUM

TWENTY-SIX CHINESE PRESENTED IN COURT

Drug Valued at \$1,000 Seized in Theatre and Fan-Tan Alleys Last Night

Twenty-six Chinese, collected in opium dens in Chinatown last night by officers of the detective department, were presented in the police court this morning to answer various charges under the drug act which became law in May last. Of the twenty-six twelve were dealt with and the remainder set over until this afternoon.

Opium worth \$1,000, opium pipes valued at \$500, much paraphernalia used by the opium smokers and keepers of joints, was secured in the raid and distributed about the court room this morning. It will all be confiscated and destroyed, in accordance with the provisions of the act.

The raid was made in Theatre alley and Fan Tan alley, five joints each giving up its quota of opium smoking humanity into the arms of the law. The patrol wagon made three trips to and from the city lock-up to convey the prisoners and the material gathered.

Consternation spread through Chinatown when the raid was made last night, for it signified the doom of the opium joint here. The police have for three months past given continued warnings to the Chinese that the law was in operation and that after due time police activity could be expected. The police adopted this measure for a double purpose, the second being that the officers might become familiar with the identity of the different orientals engaged in the business.

The raids were made simultaneously so that the alarm could not spread from one joint to another and give those warned the time necessary to close down before the police arrived. Suddenly descending upon the dens in the two alleys the capture was complete, and the peaceful, beautiful dreams of the opium smokers were rudely turned in a babbling and chattering that made those in the haze of opium dream that something had happened to the opium.

Rudely awakened from the vision of a Celestial heaven containing all the luxuries and other things the Chinese heart desires and huddled just as rudely into the patrol wagon with the lingering dream still hovering about them, was the fate of the twenty-six, nine of whom are now serving sentences varying from two to six months.

Al. Ling was the first to answer this morning and he was sentenced to one year for being the keeper of an opium joint. His sentence, however, was altered to six months because the magistrate found that there are different penalties prescribed in the code for offenders taking police court and higher court trials. Al. Ling, when called back and told he was "in" for six months only, beamed as if he had been found not guilty and given \$1,000.

For the sum of \$40 last week a complete opium joint well fitted, provided with bunks, lamps, scales, pipes and other accessories, and with a good clientele could have been purchased. Chin Dow, when accused of being the keeper of an opium joint pleaded he was innocent because he had last week sold out for \$40. His business there when the police arrived last night was in looking after the business until the purchaser arrived to take over possession. Chin Dow departed through the door with six months' residence at Hillside avenue in front of him.

In Wong Duck's place eight men were found, five of whom were smokers. The police seized \$500 worth of opium and a number of pipes. He got six months. The eight occupants found there were next presented and various excuses were given. One had come there to buy potatoes, another to find a friend and another to pay a bill. Six of the eight were fined \$25 each and the other two were set over for one month. Two whose excuses were accepted were discharged. Duck Yun, another keeper, who has engaged a lawyer, was remanded until to-morrow and allowed bail of \$1,000.

MILLS SELL ALL OUTPUT

Tacoma, Wash., Oct. 6.—Reports from lumber manufacturers in 24 states received yesterday at the office of Manager Leonard Bronson of the National Lumber Manufacturers' Association indicate a very encouraging condition in the nation-wide lumber business, the output being only 3.2 per cent greater than the shipments, which, according to Manager Bronson, means the lumber industry is getting back on its proper basis.

The National Lumber Manufacturers' Association three months ago began to gather statistics concerning the lumber cut, the shipments and the stock on hand at the mills of the various associations whose federation forms the national organization. The reports for August, the second month covered by the investigation, were received at the manager's office yesterday, coming from more than half the mills in the association and representing a fourth of the ordinary lumber producers in the United States. These mills, being distributed over 24 states, have sent in a report which Manager Bronson considers representative of the conditions throughout the mills of the country.

BLOODLESS BATTLE

Mexico City, Oct. 6.—Gen. Ambrosio Figueroa in a bloodless battle at Chilapa yesterday charged 200 Zapatistas and placed them in jail at Chilpancingo. He believes he has thus effectively broken the strength of Zapata and Almazan, who have been terrorizing the states of the Morelos, Puebla and Guerrero for months.

RAILWAYS ACQUIRE LARGE WATER POWERS

C. P. R. Looking to Ultimate Electrification of Part of Its Line

Vancouver, Oct. 6.—In connection with the ultimate electrification of a portion of its line in the mountains the C. P. R. it was stated to-day, had acquired a water power on the Adams river, which flows into the South Thompson river near the west end of Shuswap lake, and that the title had been vested in the name of J. S. Dennis, land commissioner of the company.

The Adams river flows out of Adams lake and experts have reported that it is capable of developing 100,000 horsepower at two different points between the lake and its confluence with the South Thompson. It is in a heavily timbered country where extensive lumbering operations are now being carried on.

Water powers in British Columbia are acquiring a commercial value they did not possess a few years ago. During the recent visit to the Okanagan Valley, Sir William Mackenzie, president of the Canadian Northern Railway, bought the Coteau water power and a charter for building an electric line through the fruit-growing belt on both sides of Okanagan lake.

The falls in question are capable, it is said, of developing 7,000 horsepower, a volume sufficient to operate the proposed tram system, which, if built, will prove a feeder to the proposed steam road the company proposes to build into the Okanagan from Kamloops. In investigating the possibilities of the valley for another Shuswap made a motor trip from Kamloops to Vernon, via the Salmon River wagon road, covering the distance in five hours.

The deal for the waterpower and tram franchise was closed the same day. It had been previously submitted to the board of directors of the C. P. R., to whom it did not appeal so strongly as to the astute president of the Canadian Northern.

RAINING FOR WEEK, RIVERS FLOODED

Conditions in Parts of Wisconsin Worse Than Reported at First

Lacrosse, Wis., Oct. 6.—(Lat.)—Breaks have occurred in both upper and lower dams of the Lacrosse water power company at Hatfield on the Black River, six miles northeast of here. The fifty million dollar property of this company is menaced and a large district, including the city of Black River Falls, is under water. A great district in the Black River Valley also is submerged.

Breaks in the dams followed the accumulation of water after a week's rain which filled the reservoirs to an unprecedented extent. Early to-day the water broke through the embankment at the west side of the lower of main dam. The dam proper is still holding, but the waters have washed around it, and are pouring through in a tremendous volume.

At noon the telephone operator at Black River Falls, a city of 2,000 people, reported to headquarters here that the water was surrounding the telephone building, that he was moving out to another part of town, and it was dangerous to remain longer, therefore it is impossible to raise Black River Falls on either telephone line connecting it with Lacrosse.

Relief parties were hastily organized and scouts are being sent out among the farmers, warning them to take to higher ground. The situation is being made to combat the higher waters expected to-night among the small villages along the Black River.

Several farmhouses, floating down stream in the flood that is flowing around the west end of the Hatfield main power dam and sending water to a depth of 11 feet over the top, struck and tore away this bridge at Black River Falls to-day. Families that had occupied these houses it is feared have perished. Hatfield is under water, but it is thought that no lives were lost there. The Hotel Tremont, a three-story brick building, the leading hotel in Black River Falls, and a half-dozen other big buildings in which the principal business of the city were housed were washed out this afternoon.

Direct communication with the city is now open. Eight hundred feet of the Green Bay & Western tracks at Hatfield have been washed out, according to a report received at the office of the company here.

EAMES AND DE GOGORZA

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 6.—A big audience at the Moore theatre last night heard a revival of the long-neglected concert form, the duet, in which the Ladies Musical Club presented Miss Emma Eames and Emilio de Gogorza in the first of their annual artists recitals for the season.

Both artists were in beautiful voice and were positively prodigious in their offerings. In fact, they responded too often, for the only criticism of the concert in general which can be made, in fairness, is that the programs were too long.

MAGNANIMOUS FOES

Rome, Oct. 6.—A wireless message from Tripoli says the Italian soldiers buried the Turkish dead, rendering military honors. Twenty severely wounded Turks were placed in the hospital wards of the Italian warships. Injured Turks said further resistance on their part was impossible owing to the inferiority of their number and of their fighting equipment.

MORMON CONFERENCE

Salt Lake, Utah, Oct. 6.—The eighty-second semi-annual conference of the Mormon church was opened to-day in the tabernacle by President Joseph F. Smith, with an address in which he dwelt on the slight difference in the important doctrines of Mormonism and those of other denominations.

President Smith carefully avoided political subjects. He vehemently denounced statements alleged to have been made that he had wrongfully used funds of the church. He spoke to an audience of ten thousand people.

BORN

LUSCOMBE—On Oct. 5th, to the wife of F. G. Luscombe, Constance, a daughter.

MARRIED

BERRYMAN-BERRYMAN—On the 25th of Sept. in Seattle, William Berryman to Mrs. S. A. Berryman, both of Victoria, B. C.

DIED

HALL—At the residence, 725 Yates street, suddenly, Dr. Francis Walter Hall, aged 50 years, and a native of Richmond Hill, Ontario.

The funeral will take place from the residence, 725 Yates street, on Saturday, Oct. 7th, at 2:45 p. m., and 3 o'clock at the Metropolitan Methodist church, Pandora street, where service will be conducted. Interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

Friends will please accept this intimation.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR THE MOST POPULAR FORM OF ADVERTISING IN TOWN TRY THIS COLUMN

YOUR OWN TERMS—2 new, 6 room cottages on Cloverdale avenue, 4 minutes walk to school, 10 minutes to city. They are modern and will suit you. Terms to suit. Call up owner, X240, P. O. Box 55.

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BURNSIDE—Two lots going at cost price plus commission; client must have money; this is the best snap on the Burnsides subdivision, G. S. Leighton, 112 Government street.

COR. OF GRANT AND BELMONT AVE.—Two lots going together for \$3,000; this is too good to last, as above is away below market value; easy terms. G. S. Leighton, 112 Government street.

CROFT STREET—Six roomed house and stable on full sized lot, going at \$3,500. G. S. Leighton.

TORONTO STREET—Near park, 6 room house, on lot with 60 ft. frontage, going for three days at \$3,000. G. S. Leighton, 112 Government street.

PAINTER WANTED for restaurant decoration—\$25 cash—call on Leighton, P. O. 142.

WE HAVE several good snaps in close in business properties. Allen & Son.

GOOD SECOND-HAND PIANO FOR \$250. This is a grand instrument and splendid value for the money. Hicks & Lovick Piano Co., opposite Post Office.

SEE PIANO OFFERED FOR \$50. This is a good bargain for a used instrument. Hicks & Lovick Piano Co., opposite Post Office.

SNAP EXTRAORDINARY—Near corner of Fort and Moss streets, 2 roomed house, going for \$2,500, easy terms. E. J. Dolbe, 112 Government street.

RAY, DAVE—James Ray, lot on paved corner of Fort and Moss streets, E. J. Dolbe, 112 Government street.

OAK BAY—2 roomed, modern home, near park, \$1,500, easy terms. E. J. Dolbe, 112 Government street.

A GENERAL STORE up country for sale. The prospect is bright. Apply P. O. Box 113.

500 CASH and \$2 month for fine lot, Oak Bay, \$1,500. P. O. Box 113.

DOUBLE CORNER, BENTLEY, S. Yavay and Fox, one block off Hillside, \$2,000, cash, balance easy. See Allen & Son, Phone 1000, over Northern Crown Bank.

ROCKLAND PARK—New fire hall, 2 frontages, on Cedar Hill road, near Fernwood, fine site for 3 houses, best view in the city, only \$1,200 this week. Allen & Son.

JOHNSON STREET—2 roomed, modern cottage, lot 25x125, lot \$1,500, terms \$1,000 cash, 1 Portly, 24 Yates street, Phone 237.

FOR HIRE—Electric vacuum cleaner, 12 per day delivered. Phone 1250, 75 Vancouver street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, 1000, 12x16 wall, with fly. Apply 234 Bridge street.

FOR QUICK SALE—Alpha street, lot 4x175, near Douglas street, will take \$500 easy terms. P. O. 142.

EXCEPTIONAL BARGAIN—In order to sell immediately the owner has exclusively authorized us to take \$6,000 seven years old, 4 years old, splendid 5 room, modern house, on lot 8x110, situated on Caladonia avenue, west of Cook, Burnsides subdivision, G. S. Leighton, 112 Government street, site for City Hall on Pandora avenue, the price is nearly \$8,000 below any other property now on the market. In 1898, but a few days ago, the owner was offered \$10,000 for it. Only good until to-morrow. HILL & COMPANY, Malton Block.

HOLLYWOOD—Crescent road, 50x275, pick of the locality, level, grass lawn, 150 ft. frontage, 6, 12, 18, 24, 30 months. L. W. Bick.

EXPERT ADVICE

At Present We Tell You Buy in James Bay

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KING'S ROAD AND ROSEBURY ST.—Four corner, 100x150, \$1,500; 1-1 can offer, balance to suit. L. W. Bick.

500 CASH, balance \$2 month, secures an elegant new, 7 room, modern, 3-story cottage, in an excellent location, concrete basement, electric lights, and finely finished throughout; price \$4,000. Herbert Cuthbert, 65 Port St.

A LARGE PLOT OF GROUND, cheap, two extra wide lots, 60-foot frontage on Moss street, running through to Corns street, between Richardson and Fairfield road; price \$2,500, 1-3 cash; remember, this is on newly paved streets, has double frontage, near the school, and in best section of high-class homes. This is a real live bargain. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 65 Port street.

KING'S ROAD AND BLACKWOOD—105x125, to a lane, grand stuff, \$1,500, for terms. L. W. Bick.

TO RENT—Unfurnished flat, no children. Apply Mr. Edwards, Vancouver street.

ROOM AND BOARD for 2 men, terms reasonable. 2712 Prior street, off Hillside.

HAMPSHIRE ROAD—Fine, full sized lot to a lane, all grass, only \$500; 1 cash, 12, 18, 24, 30 months. L. W. Bick.

TURKEYS FOR SALE—2 fine breeding, 1 month old, bronze turkey hens, with extra large gobblers, the 3 lbs; the gobblers alone worth the money. This variety will be graded and packed. Etherington, Cedar Hill road, via Mount Talmie, P. O.

KING'S ROAD—Shelbourne street, double corner, fine, grassy, 105x125, 1-1 cash, balance to suit, good terms. L. W. Bick.

LARGE FRONT BEDROOM, furnished, gentlemen preferred. 250 Government street.

WANTED—General help in small family. Mrs. Bassett, 110 Lillian road (P.O. 142).

TO REAL ESTATE AGENTS—Lot 3, Gordon Head road, is off the market. E. Hill.

WANTED—Position by experienced stenographer with knowledge of bookkeeping, city references (would substitute). Apply Box No. 14, Times.

WILKINSON ROAD—1 miles from town, choice acreage at \$800 per acre; nothing but the very best, less than \$1,000; terms, right close to new car line. L. W. Bick.

FIVE ROOMED, MODERN HOUSE, Oak Bay, one block off Hillside, 50x125, terms arranged. Shaw Real Estate Co.

FOR SALE—Cheap, on terms, house and three acres, Apply A. R. Frowde, Langford Station, P. O., Victoria.

EDMONTON ROAD—Double corner, block from Fernwood, snap, \$1,500, terms. Owner, Box 15, Times.

OAK BAY—St. David street, 61x125, choice property, a bargain at \$1,000; 1 cash, balance best of terms. L. W. Bick.

WANTED—A good boy to deliver the Daily Times in the west part of the city. Apply to Circulation Dept., Daily Times.

NORTH END—50x175, close in, \$500, easy terms. L. W. Bick.

TRANSIT ROAD—Fine, level lot, size 25x125, price \$1,000; cash \$250, balance \$250, terms. Shaw Real Estate Co., Pemberton Block.

TWO LOTS on Dunman street, size 45x115 each, price \$750 each; these lots are situated between Fernwood road and Clarke street. Shaw Real Estate Co., 302 Pemberton Block.

WE HAVE a splendid, modern house for sale, situated on Monterey avenue, near car line, grounds laid out well and covered with oak trees; this house contains seven rooms and is modern in every respect; price \$2,500; cash \$1,500. Shaw Real Estate Co., Pemberton Block.

FAITHFUL STREET—Close to the sea, 5 room cottage, on very choice lot, \$500 cash, balance to suit. L. W. Bick.

VICTOR STREET—50x110, all improvements in, only \$200, level, good lot, cash, balance easy. L. W. Bick.

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THE LORD'S DAY ACT

New Westminster Council Will Consider By-law on Subject Shortly

New Westminster, Oct. 5.—With reference to the letter from the W.C.T.U. regarding the enforcement of the Dominion Lord's Day Act, Wm. Wheeler, McQuade & Martin, city solicitors, advised the council at its last meeting that such enforcement was in the hands of the attorney-general of the province, and that the city council had no power to act. Later in the evening, Alderman Wells Gray tabled a by-law which will be read for the first time next meeting, and which will have reference to this important matter.

DROWNED AT KAMLOOPS.

Kamloops, Oct. 5.—A drowning fatality occurred near the west end bridge on Saturday afternoon, the victim being a man named A. B. B. who was supposed to be a German and who came here from Merritt. While no one appears to have seen him actually enter the river, he was seen by passersby on the bridge swimming down stream. He attempted to catch hold of one of the bridge piers, but the current is very strong there and he could not retain his hold and he was swept under the bridge, still swimming, and finally entered the eddy. The people on the bridge saw him but he gave no signs of distress or that he was in need of help. Suddenly he disappeared beneath the surface, and failing to reappear an alarm was given. Diligent search failed to lead to recovery of the body. His clothes were found near the piling above the bridge, where he had disrobed before going in for his last swim.

DROVE LAST SPIKE.

Bend, Ore., Oct. 6.—Surrounded by hundreds of people, many of whom had come long distances to be present at the ceremony, James J. Hill, head of the Great Northern railroad, yesterday afternoon drove the golden spike that officially marked the completion of the Oregon trunk line railroad from the Oregon river to Bend. Mr. Hill arrived here early in the day with his party, which included a number of railroad officials both of the Hill and Harriman systems, and a large delegation of business men from Portland, Spokane and other cities.

Following the driving home of the last spike by the great railroad builder, Mr. Hill made an extended speech in which he declared that central Oregon is a great country, and that he had backed his belief by building a road through it that had cost between \$1,000,000 and \$12,000,000. Mr. Hill said that he is a believer in the whole Pacific Northwest, and that his confidence in it is growing, as was evidenced by the recent building of the Spokane, Portland and Seattle railroad down the north bank of the Columbia at a cost of from \$5,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

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SUED IN SEATTLE

Judgment by Default on an Overdue Note—Second Small Case To-day

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 6.—The suit of Aaron Rowe, a dealer in scrap iron, against the Western Steel Corporation for the appointment of a receiver and to collect \$807 and costs, will come up for hearing in the superior court to-day. The suit was filed last Tuesday. On the same day judgment by default was entered against James A. Moore, promoter and president of the Western Steel Corporation, on an overdue note amounting with interest to \$20,682. Counsel for the corporation declines to discuss Rowe's suit.

The Western Steel Corporation was incorporated with a capital stock of \$20,000,000. It acquired a large tract of land on Port Townsend bay, announced that it would build there a second Pittsburg, and sold title lots at big prices. The company built at Ironside a steel plant of considerable size, extending on this plant a sum said to be larger than the amount realized on the sale of lots. The understanding about town was that Moore, who had been a successful real estate speculator, expected to sell out his plant to the United States Steel Corporation at a huge profit. In this he was not successful. Last Monday the United States Steel Corporation opened a branch in Seattle and announced that it would establish branch offices in all northwestern cities. The Ironside steel plant was opened early in the summer of 1910, using iron ore from Hankow, China, brought by steamers of the Dollar line. The plant turned out some bar steel, and has been operated on a small scale. The corporation has an impressive list of trustees, including former Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw, Robert C. Morris, president of the Metropolitan Club, New York; N. W. Jordan, Boston; G. H. Whitcomb, Worcester, Mass.; and Robert Dollar, San Francisco.

FORMER OFFICIAL DEAD.

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—The body of J. F. Frazier, formerly commissioner of lights in the marine department, who lost his position as the result of an inquiry into the department, was found yesterday afternoon in Rockcliffe park. The dead man was lying on his back and over his right eye was a wound as if he had been struck by a rock. He had evidently been lying in that position for at least two days. From his position it would have been almost impossible for him to have fallen and sustained the wound in that manner. He must either have taken his own life or been the victim of an assault.

A curious circumstance in connection with the tragedy is that the chief of police received an anonymous note describing where the body of a man would be found. He did not take any action, but a reporter did, with the result that the body was found in the spot described in the letter. Frazier had been missing since Monday.

The body of Charles Lavigne, a stone cutter who had cut his throat from ear to ear, was also found in Rockcliffe.

STAGE PLAY IN JAIL.

San Quentin, Cal., Oct. 6.—In the shadow of "murderer's row" of the state penitentiary, where the cells of those condemned to die are located, and with convicts in stripes, both men and women, as the audience, a full-fledged dramatic performance was given yesterday upon a stage erected by the convicts in the prison yard. The play selected was one dealing with the struggles toward honesty of a reformed safecracker. Its moral teachings had won the approval of Warden Hoyle and the actors were a regular company from San Francisco. Stage properties for the most part were manufactured by the convicts, and the inmates threw themselves into the work of preparation in a way that rivaled their reception of the play.

THE ADVANCEMAN

"Baby Mine."

Margaret Mayo's play of a thousand laughs, "Baby Mine," will be revealed at the Victoria theatre, Friday, Oct. 6, by a clever company of players under the direction of Wm. A. Brady, Ltd. "Baby Mine" has a record of one sold year at Daly's theatre, New York, and has now reached its second year at Sir Charles Wyndham's Criterion theatre, London, to record-breaking business. Early productions are scheduled to be given in Paris, Berlin, Vienna and Australia.

Unlike most successful comedies, "Baby Mine" has no French or German basis, and Miss Mayo is said to have provided scenes of buoyant comedy of the kind that tickles the ribs and makes your sides ache with laughter. "Baby Mine" is founded on the assertion recently made in a Chicago newspaper that many wives adopt babies and do not let their husbands know it. How the husband is fooled is told in a way that is said to be unusually bright, and yet gives not the slightest offense.

Sam Bernard Coming.

Sam Bernard, who breaks the English language into small and comical bits, will be seen for the first time in this city at the Victoria theatre on Tuesday, Oct. 10, in a new musical comedy called "He Came From Milwaukee," which enjoyed a long season in New York last year at the Casino and was voted among the very best things that the comedian has been associated with.

The play is in two acts and its authors are Mark Swan, who wrote the libretto, and Ben M. Jerome, who composed the music made to fit the lyrics which were supplied by Edward Madden.

Mr. Bernard will be seen in the role of a brewer from Milwaukee. He is abroad and chances have brought about a meeting with the Duke of Zurich, a principality in Bohemia, and they are travelling together. The latter is in love with a young woman, an heiress from Fort Wayne, and as she sneers at him, the Duke persuades the brewer to exchange identities for the time being. All sorts of complications come to him in his new role, but in the end all is well again, as befits a musical comedy.

Assisting Mr. Bernard are, among others, Nell Berken, Louise Mink, Anna Wheaton, Alice Gordon, Gilly Gaston, Henry Norman, George Baldwin, John J. Cain, and Charles R. Burrows.

"In Old Kentucky." No theatrical announcement brings more joy to the hearts of playgoers than the tidings that "In Old Kentucky" is again to pay a visit to this city. Year after year, this sterling American drama has been attracting widespread attention and drawing capacity audiences in all portions of the country, and its enduring success is the marvel of theatrical circles.

The delightful romance of Kentucky life revealed in "In Old Kentucky," the comical little dapper boys, the heroic mountain lass Madge Brerly, the exciting horse race, the stirring combat amid the Kentucky hills, the amusing Colonel Doolittle and his struggle to keep his vow never to enter another race track, and the other well remembered episodes of this drama have sunk deep in the memories of all who have witnessed it. "In Old Kentucky" continues as fresh as its birth and as new as the day of its birth, and it never wears out its welcome. It is booked for the Victoria theatre on Wednesday, Oct. 11.

"The Girl in the Taxi." An event theatrically of the present season will be the forthcoming appearance in this city of that far-famed and sensational successful play, "The Girl in the Taxi," which is booked for an engagement of one night at the Victoria theatre, Thursday, Oct. 12. "The Girl in the Taxi" may aptly be referred to as the "big scream" of the year, for wherever it has been presented, it has caused audiences to laugh almost to the point of hysterics.

Dancing, singing and musical specialties form pleasantly diverting features of "The Girl in the Taxi" and the company of players engaged to present this laugh-producing entertainment is composed entirely of comedians of the first rank.

The fun is said to start with the rise of the first curtain and the pace set is a fast one. Situations and complications occur which are so screamingly funny that the audience has little opportunity for breathing spells.

HIS CHOICE OF WINE.

San Francisco, Oct. 6.—President William H. Taft will be given ample opportunity to pass on the respective merits of California wines and the villages of foreign climes when he visits this city next week.

At a meeting to-day of the Home Industry League and officials of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition it was agreed that California wines only would be served at the Cliff House luncheon, and that imported wines would prevail at the banquet in the evening. This agreement was a compromise, as the Home Industry League urged that foreign wines be eliminated from the menu during the President's visit.

Miss Lillian Nordica will lead a chorus of several thousand voices when President Taft raises the flag on the exposition grounds October 14.

GONE FOR DR. LYMAN.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 6.—United States Marshal Leslie M. Scott left here last night for Klamath Falls, Ore., to get Dr. J. Grant Lyman, who was arrested in Lakeview after his sensational escape from an Oakland, Cal., hospital. Marshal Scott will bring Lyman to Portland, where the federal court is expected to order the prisoner's return to California for trial.

DREDGE WRECKED.

St. John, N. B., Oct. 6.—Piled up on the rocks near Misipe Cove, five miles above this harbor, the government dredge New Brunswick, which was abandoned by three tugs in the Bay of Fundy during a gale yesterday, was found yesterday, her hull a total wreck. It is believed her engines can be saved.

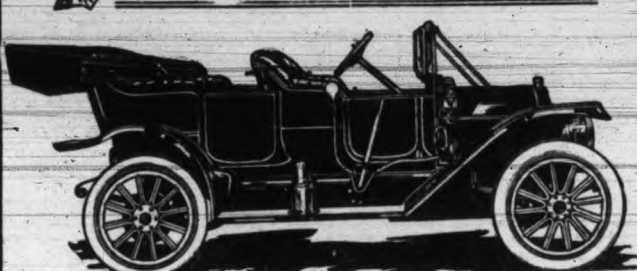
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BEER BILL WAS BIG.

How Wisconsin Senator Got His Nomination.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 6.—When United States Senator Isaac Stephenson found that his expenses for nomination at the primaries in 1908 were running so high that the item for beer and cigars alone amounted to \$30,000, and the aggregate was fast approaching a final amount of \$107,793, he remonstrated and told his campaign managers, "I want to win the nomination, but I don't want to buy it."

This was part of the testimony given yesterday before the United States senate committee which is investigating charges that bribery contributed to Senator Stephenson's election. In reply to his complaint Senator Stephenson was told that the three other Republican candidates for the primary nomination—former Congressman Samuel A. Cook, who spent \$24,203; former State Senator William H. Hutton, who spent \$30,002; and Francis R. McGovern, now governor of Wisconsin, who spent \$11,063, were making a hard fight, their expenses finally aggregating \$82,268.

This, together with Senator Stephenson's expenses, made a total for the Republican senatorial campaign that year of \$181,061.

It was testified by E. A. Edmonds, Mr. Stephenson's campaign manager, that the senator usually issued cheques for more money when told of the activities of his opponents. The charges as investigated by the Wisconsin legislature, and presented to the United States senate were read over in detail to Edmonds. He admitted that many sums of money named in the charges had been paid, but denied the truth of the phrase "used corruptly and in violation of the law," as included in each charge.

The charges also alleged that approximately \$250,000 had been spent in the nomination of Mr. Stephenson. Edmonds declared that amount spent was not in excess of the \$107,793, as made in the final report to the state. Senator W. B. Heyburn announced that where charges of unlawful use of money officially had been in connection with campaign expenses of which no detailed account was rendered, the presumption was that the money was wrongfully used and the burden of proof was on the accused.

KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE.

Toronto, Oct. 6.—Struck by an automobile which jumped from the roadway to the sidewalk at the corner of Louisa and Yonge streets last evening, Mrs. Henry Sauter received injuries from which she died within a few minutes. The automobile was in charge of Roy L. Brintnell, and was coming down Yonge street at a good rate of speed, when suddenly it swerved from its path and, passing over a bicycle, jumped to the sidewalk. Mr. and Mrs. Sauter happened to be passing at the time and the machine struck them. Brintnell was arrested.

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